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FEAR GANGSTERS, SLOW TO TESTIFY

Witness in Rosenthal Case in Dread of Revenge From Gamblers

"JOHN, THE BARBER" ON STAND

Retracted Statement He Had Made to District Attorney and Was Arrested for Perjury—Evidence Against Police.

New York, July 24.—Fear of revenge at the hands of Eastside gangsters, ever present in the minds of witnesses in the Rosenthal murder investigation, today temporarily blocked the efforts of District Attorney Whitman to draw closer the lines about the men who assassinated the gambler eight days ago. Apparently awed by the presence of gangsters in the coroner's court, John Reisler, a barber known to the sporting fraternity as "John, the Barber," retracted at the coroner's examination a statement he is alleged to have made a few minutes earlier to Mr. Whitman that he had seen "Bridgie" Webber, now under arrest, running from the scene of the murder. After Reisler had denied his earlier statement he was arrested on a charge of perjury.

The coroner's hearing this afternoon was in the nature of an examination of "Bridgie" Webber and Sam Paul, both of whom are charged with complicity in the murder of Rosenthal. The prosecution charges that it was in Webber's gambling house, near the scene of the murder at 43rd street and Broadway, that the murder gang congregated to go to the place of the killing. It was to connect Webber more closely with the case that "John, the Barber", was placed on the stand.

Having failed in his attempts to get desired statements from the witnesses, District Attorney Whitman secured adjournment of Webber's examination for 48 hours in order that more witnesses might be secured to bring out his connection with the case.

The examination of Sam Paul was likewise put over. It is believed that Mr. Whitman is laying his lines to force from Webber a statement which will implicate those "higher up" in the case.

The door of the "Police System" that the district attorney places the responsibility for the murder of the man who had charged that the police were exacting tribute from gamblers in this city and Mr. Whitman has admitted that he will make it easy for those under arrest if he can secure the evidence which he desires against the police.

The proceedings this afternoon were sensational. Reisler was the first witness called against Webber, having just come from a conference in the district attorney's office. He declared that he had seen Webber in Broadway near the scene of the murder after Rosenthal was slain.

"Was he running?" asked Mr. Whitman.

The witness shifted uneasily in his chair and let his eyes shift toward where Webber, Paul and others were sitting. "I don't know," he replied.

"Didn't you tell me that, in my office in the presence of Mr. Moss that you were afraid to tell of the case? You knew the gang you were up against and were afraid you would be killed?" asked Mr. Whitman.

"No," replied the witness in a frightened manner.

Mr. Whitman then placed Assistant District Attorney Moss on the stand. Mr. Moss said that just before the hearing Reisler had told him and Mr. Whitman that he came from the subway at Times Square about 2 o'clock and in front of the Cadillac saw Webber "running like d—". He then heard of the murder. Mr. Moss said that Reisler did not want to talk about the case for fear of being injured by friends of murderers.

Reisler was again placed on the stand and declared that Mr. Moss' story was not true. He said he had just come down Broadway when he heard of the shooting. When pressed with questions as to whether he had seen Webber at all he hesitated, made several false starts and then said he thought he had seen him. The witness declared he was not afraid of being killed himself, but did not want to connect his family with the affair, as "the men in the case are bad."

"Didn't you say that any man who testified against Webber would be killed?" persisted the district attorney.

The witness denied this and the questioning was brought to a close. As Reisler was about to leave the court room he was arrested, charged with perjury. Late today Reisler requested that the district attorney call on him at the prison as he wanted to "talk" but Mr. Whitman will not see him until tomorrow.

The district attorney stated late today that he had issued subpoenas for all the attendants at the LaFayette baths, where it has been stated Harry Vallon, "Bridgie" Webber, Sam Paul and "Bald Jack" Rose appeared shortly after the assassination and remained for the night.

Mr. Whitman said he had not yet received an answer to his letters requesting the three detective lieutenants, Becker, Riley and Costigan, to appear as voluntary witnesses before the grand jury. He said he presumed they would notify him tomorrow whether they would come.

"If Lieut. Becker comes," said Mr. Whitman, "I will ask him if he had a conversation over the telephone with Jack Rose the night of the shooting, and I may say that the telephone company will furnish us with the calls from Webber's or the baths on the night in question without our issuing a subpoena."

The coroner's inquiry will continue tomorrow when the charges against "Bald Jack" Rose, Shaprio and Libbey, the latter two part owners of the "murder car", will be investigated.

NO BATTLESHIP PROGRAMME

Democrats of House In Caucus Decide To Adhere to Their Former Policy—An Arcimonious Debate Ensues—Discussion

Washington, July 24.—Democrats of the House in caucus tonight voted 7 to 62 not to recede from their "no battleships" programme in the Naval Appropriation Bill. A determined effort was made to have the caucus approve a compromise with the Senate whereby the House would agree to the construction of one sea-fighter. Representative Fitzgerald, chairman of Appropriation Committee, led the opposition to the proposal on the ground of economy.

The action of the caucus further complicates the adjournment plans of the leaders of both the Senate and House. The Naval Appropriation Bill is in conference and today's caucus was ordered in an effort to break a deadlock that has prevailed for some time with no apparent chance that it could be broken. The Senate, committed to a two-battleships building programme, was willing to compromise on one vessel this year. It has expressed its determination not to recede further.

"What will be the effect of today's action?" Chairman Padgett, of the House Naval Affairs Committee and leader of the House conferees, was asked when the caucus adjourned.

"Heaven alone knows," he answered. "I'm just going to 'sit on the log' and I don't know what the outcome will be. However, we'll probably be here until frost arrives."

The caucus was a noisy one. Through the guarded doors the voices of those for and against the battleship plan came plainly. Those in favor of a greater navy because of the approaching opening of the Panama canal wasted impassioned oratory and sought the support of the "country" members. Those opposed insisted that the Democratic pledges of economy in governmental administration made it imperative that the naval programme as already approved by a previous House Democratic caucus, should be adhered to.

Representative Sulzer, chairman of the Foreign Affairs Committee, offered a resolution that two battleships be provided for and that objections to the Senate amendment be withdrawn. Although Mr. Sulzer had a number of supporters, Chairman Padgett moved to amend this proposition by substituting one such vessel, which would be the "last word" in naval construction.

Majority Leader Underwood, Representatives Murray of Massachusetts, and Pou, of North Carolina, with several others, supported Mr. Padgett's suggestions. Mr. Murray, who represented the district in which the Charleston navy yard is located, confessed he was in favor of two big fighting craft, but that in the present temper of the two houses of Congress he believed a compromise was necessary to expedite public business.

The debate was growing acrimonious when Representative Burnett, of Alabama, moved that the entire matter be tabled. There immediately ensued a scene of confusion but the demand for a roll call on the proposal was carried with the result that the caucus voted to stand firm by its precious decision.

Several ineffectual attempts were made to have the caucus vote to release its members from the pledge exacted by the previous caucus not to vote for battleships this year.

THE ALABAMA TEDDIES

Negroes and Whites Will Send Separate Delegations

Birmingham, Ala., July 24.—Two complete delegations will go from Alabama to the third party convention in Chicago beginning August 5th. Failing to gain recognition in the regular State convention held here today, the negro Progressive Republicans met tonight and elected a full contesting delegation.

The "Lily White" convention, after a spirited debate over the question of recognizing the negro element, elect-24 delegates to the National Progressive convention each with one-half a vote, endorsed Roosevelt and Woman Suffrage and declined to endorse Judge Ben F. Lindsay, of Denver, for Vice President on the Progressive ticket. J. O. Thompson served as chairman. An executive committee also was elected.

New Orleans, La., July 24.—More than 120,000,000 feet of cypress lumber, according to the estimate of engineers who recently surveyed the properties, were included in the purchase yesterday of the G. J. Reeves Cypress Lumber Company by the Bowie Lumber Company, with headquarters here. The timber covers 18,000 acres in this State. The price was $940,000.

Muskogee, Okla., July 24.—Judge Thomas H. Owen, of this city, was today notified of his appointment as assistant secretary of the National Woodrow Wilson Campaign Committee.

WASH DIRTY LINEN BEFORE CONGRESS

Republican Representatives Thresh Out Chicago Convention in the House

MONDELL AGAINST NORRIS

Summary Steps Taken to Restore Order—Freely Talked of Stolen Delegates and Other Political Dishonesty.

Washington, July 24.—Republican political wounds were laid bare and much bitterness was displayed in the House today when Representative Mondell, of Wyoming, a member of the Credentials Committee of the recent Chicago convention, which seated Taft contesting delegates, and Representative Norris, of Nebraska, an ardent Roosevelt Republican, clashed in two set speeches.

Mr. Mondell defended the action of the convention, while Mr. Norris denounced it with bitter emphasis. Once during Mr. Mondell's speech order was restored only when the chair was on the point of ordering the mace down to compel Representative Warburton, of Washington, (Republican), to take his seat. Again that emblem of authority came near being used to quell turbulence when Representative Humphrey, of Washington, (Republican), declined to cease his interruption of Mr. Norris' speech.

Mr. Norris followed Mr. Mondell with the statement that "a man whose name was known throughout the country" had acknowledged that the Taft managers had stolen delegates from the State of Washington. This man," he said, was now engaged in supporting the President's candidacy because, Mr. Norris added, he entertained "political aspirations."

"When the gentleman makes such a statement," interjected Representative Humphrey, "he certainly should give his authority."

Mr. Norris declined to divulge the identity of his informant. He plunged at once into his reply to Mr. Mondell and criticised the latter's denunciation of "soap box primaries." He referred to the primaries in Indiana, which went for Taft and which Mr. Mondell endorsed as regular.

"The gentleman loves the primary that goes for Taft," said Mr. Norris, ironically, "but how he hates and despises the primary that goes for Roosevelt."

He defended the Washington primaries and said that immediately following them no charge of dishonesty of any kind had been registered against them. It was not until the Taft men discovered that if allowed to go unchallenged the Roosevelt manager would be within three votes of controlling the State convention, he declared, that secret meetings were held and Taft delegates named.

"The action of the committees in Chicago," said Mr. Norris, addressing the Democratic side of the House, "were all in favor of Democratic success. They did more to bring about the possibility of Democratic victory than the Democratic party ever did or ever was competent to do. The Taft Republicans and the machine Democrats are together. 'Two souls with but a single thought; two hearts that beat as one.' When your convention met in Baltimore your temporary chairman in his 'keynote speech' devoted all of his time to an attack on Roosevelt and paid no attention to Taft. There is another evidence of the fusion and unison."

Mr. Norris drew Democratic applause when he said that it was conceded "confidently, at least, by all Republicans", that President Taft could not be re-elected. He added that the President "running on a trumped-up nomination" could only result in votes for the Democratic candidate.

"Everybody knows the fight is between Roosevelt and Wilson," he declared.

Mr. Mondell made specific denial of the claims of the Roosevelt managers that their candidate had been improperly deprived of delegates in the Chicago convention in the contested cases brought either before the National or credentials committees. He characterized the contests as "mere bluffs" without shadow of substantiation.

DANVILLE'S MISSING TREASURER

Was Seen by Friend Emerging from Washington Station

Danville, Va., July 24.—R. C. Fiala, a young man who has lived in Danville for the past several months, who tonight returned from a business trip, stated that on Monday night last, while waiting for a train at the union depot at Washington, he saw W. S. Paylor, the missing city treasurer who vanished from here under mysterious circumstances on Thursday last.

Fiala, who knows Paylor well by sight saw him emerge from the waiting room at the depot clad in a light suit and carrying a grip. Fiala, unaware of recent happenings here, paid no special attention to the man and did not speak to him.

Special Tonight at Lumina.

Mrs. Frank Pearson will sing two songs tonight at Lumina during the intermissions between dances. Her songs will be "Good Night, Dear," and "Arab Love Song." **

RAVAGES OF THE ARMY WORM

House Committee Recommends an Immediate Appropriation for Investigation in South—Reports From the Field.

Washington, July 24.—The House Committee on Agriculture today recommended an immedate appropriation of $5,000 to stop the ravages of the army worm in Southern States. Secretary Wilson asked for it.

Representative Heflin, of Alabama, told the committee the worm was stopping railway trains in his district. The committee will try to rush the appropriation through before the agricultural appropriation bill is agreed upon.

Because of the delay of Congress in passing the agricultural appropriation bill, Secretary Wilson and Representative Aiken, of South Carolina, have taken money from their own pockets to pay the traveling expenses of F. M. Webster, expert entomologist, who has gone South to investigate an outbreak of the army worm on the corn and cotton crops.

Word was received today from Prof. Webster at Anderson, S. C., that the pest was doing much more damage than he had expected. South Carolina, Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi and Tennessee are the States in which the army worm has already appeared to an alarming degree. The last previous serious outbreak of the sort was about 10 years ago.

OKLAHOMA PROGRESSIVES.

Roosevelt Disciples Meet and Elect Their Chicago Delegates.

Oklahoma City, Okla., July 24.—Oklahoma Progressives formally launched the new party in this State today at a convention which selected 20 delegates to the Chicago convention, each with half a vote, instructed to vote for Roosevelt for President, endorsed George C. Priestley, at present Republican National committeeman, as National committeeman should he align himself with the Progressive movement, and named A. L. McDonald, of El Reno, chairman of the State committee. A motion seeking to grant negroes representation in the State committee was tabled. No nominations for State offices will be made this year.

Resolutions adopted denounced the action of the Republican National convention in re-nominating President Taft, declared the nomination illegally bestowed and asserted that rightfully, it should have gone to Col. Roosevelt.

The resolutions also provided that the new party should not support any candidate for State offices who does not endorse the platform to be adopted at the Chicago convention and made ineligible for membership of the State committee, Federal office holders or candidates for office.

CUMBERLAND MAN CAUGHT.

Arrested in Charleston, S. C., Wanted in Fayetteville—Rewards.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Fayetteville, N. C., July 24.—Cornelius N. Lucas, who Saturday night, July 13th, shot and killed W. C. Jones in Cumberland county, over a trivial dispute, escaped after the shooting and was not heard from for several days. Cumberland county offered $100 and Governor Kitchin $200 for his arrest, and delivery. The sheriff and deputies trailed him to points in South Carolina and kept sharp watch over him. Last night the authorities at Charleston, S. C., telegraphed Sheriff McGeachy that they had Lucas and would deliver him without papers. Sheriff McGeachy left last night for Charleston, and today telegraphed Deputy Ray that he had Lucas and would bring him back tonight.

OUTLINES

By an overwhelming vote the Democrats of the House last night decided to adhere to its "no battleships" programme.

The House Committee of Agriculture yesterday recommended an appropriation of $5,000 for an immediate investigation of the army worm in the South.

A cloudburst flooded miles of territory between Jeannette and Greensburg and other places in Pennsylvania rendering a number of families homeless and causing a large property loss.

The Senate yesterday passed the Sundry Civil Appropriation Bill, carrying $26,000,000 less than last year and $35,000,000 less than called for in the estimates.

Adjournment of the hearing in the Rosenthal case yesterday was occasioned by the fact that a leading witness hesitated to testify because of his fear of the Eastside gangsters, in New York.

Thirteen men were drowned and 37 barely escaped with their lives when water, following a cloudburst near Uniontown, Pa., yesterday, poured into the manway of Superba No. 2 mine.

Thomas B. Felder says many witnesses have been distagraphed in South Carolina and there will be further disclosures after the State primary in South Carolina.

The North Carolina State Firemen's Association will hold the 1913 annual meeting and tournament in Wilmington, N. C.

New York markets: Money on call steady 2 1-2 to 2 5-8 per cent; ruling rate 2 7-8; sixty days, 21-4; six months 4 1-4 to 4 1-2; flour quiet but steady; wheat, spot, easy, No. 2 red, 1.07 3-4 to 1.09 1-4 to arrive and export 1.08 3-4 f.o.b. afloat to arrive; corn, spot, firm, export 81 1-2 f.o.b. afloat; oats, spot, firm, standard white No. 2 61; cotton spot, quiet, 20 points higher; turpentine easy, rosin quiet.

RAGING TORRENT DEATH IN ITS WAKE

Cloudbursts in Pennsylvania Yesterday Cause Loss of Life and Property

CATASTROPHES AT THE MINES

Horsemen Gave Dramatic Warning to People in Danger Zone—Party of Picnickers Marooned in One Place.

Cloudbursts in several sections of Pennsylvania yesterday caused raging floods in many districts, mines being flooded and small streams being converted into raging torrents. Near Uniontown, Pa., a mine was overflowed and the rushing waters drowned 13 men, while three times that number had narrow escapes. It was still raining last night, and many people were marooned in the flood district. Communication is seriously interrupted, and it will be several days before the extent of the flood is definitely known.

Mine Horror Near Uniontown.

Uniontown, Pa., July 24.—Caught like rats in a trap when water rushed into the man-way of Superba No. 2 mines at Evans Station, three miles north of Uniontown, this afternoon following a cloudburst, 13 men were drowned and 37 escaped after a most harrowing experience. The men were drowned about 4,000 feet from the mouth of the mines, their only avenue of escape. The majority of the victims were married and had large families.

Although this list is one given out by officials, it is reported that at least one more victim, an unknown foreigner, will be added. He was passed by other men in the mine when they escaped, refusing to accompany them to a place of safety.

The majority of the victims had large families and about 30 children are deprived of their bread-winners by one of the worst catastrophies that has ever visited Fayette county. The men who escaped were forced to half swim and half walk to the pit mouth through water ranging in depth from their waists to their necks, on their way to safety. The majority of the miners were knocked down by timbers that were sent down the mine with great velocity in the raging current. Several men were being carried back into the mine to certain death when rescued by their companions, who risked their lives. It was stated tonight by officials of the Superba Company that it will take at least 60 days to clear the mines of the water and until that time bodies must remain in the water where they perished. Supt. J. W. Buttermore was the first man to see the high water start in the man-way. He raised the alarm and all the men on the outside rushed into the mine yelling loudly as they went. In that manner more than half of the miners were saved.

The wives and families of the miners and drivers in the mines when the alarm was raised, rushed to a large hole made by the rushing water at the manhole and frantically threw sticks, stones, bushes, poles and whatever timber they could find into the water to stop its rush into the mines where their relatives were earning their daily bread. Failing in that, they rushed to the mouth of the mine and would have continued their mad dash into the water if the mine had not been stopped by cool-headed persons who guarded that entrance. The women and children remained at the mouth of the slope late tonight refusing to return home until an attempt had been made to rescue their husbands and fathers. Several large pumps will be placed in the mine tomorrow and everything possible will be done to get to the place where the bodies are certain to be found.

The water rose so quickly following the cloudburst that it practically destroyed all railroads and street railways in Fayette county.

Nothing could be done to avert the catastrophe. A dam that had been built around the manway a day or two ago when the water was high, was washed away and the waters rushed into the mine so rapidly that the pit was filled in less than 30 minutes. It was reported tonight that three men had lost their lives in Lemont No. 2 mine, of the H. C. Frick Coke Company, about a half mile from Superba mines. About 100 men were caught in the flood there, but all escaped but three, who are at present unaccounted for.

Two of the victims are Uniontown men and well known throughout the county. They are Russell Gardner, aged 35, and Pierce Solomon, aged 65. Mr. Solomon had decided to quit the mine and intended to work only a few days more. Both he and Gardner leave wives and large families.

When it was certain that the 13 men had perished the survivors persisted in forming a rescue party into the mines.

Officials of the mine, however, positively refused to allow men to uselessly risk their lives in that manner. The mine is filled to such extent that it would be impossible for any man to enter more than 100 yards without being in danger of being drowned.

One woman, the wife of Andy Valco, who is left with five little children, the

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JAMES CARDINAL GIBBONS.

STATE FIREMEN'S TOURNEY

Wilmington Chosen for 1913 Meeting —Floral Parade Yesterday a Magnificent Success—The Election of Officers

(Special Star Telegram.)

Fayetteville, N. C., July 24.—After re-electing Jas. D. McNeill, president for the 22nd time, and A. H. Boyden, first vice president to his 9th term; chosing E. L. Clark, of Southern Pines, for second vice president to succeed W. S. Orr, of Charlotte; re-electing all other officials, and selecting Wilmington as its next meeting place, the North Carolina State Firemen's Association's 25th annual convention came to an end last mid-night. The other officers re-elected were: Secretary J. L. Miller, of Concord; R. C. Taylor, of Winston-Salem, treasurer, and M. S. Davis, of Louisburg, statistican.

A feature of the night session was the unanimous decision to pay to the city next entertaining the association at its annual convention $500 to be used in defraying the expenses of same. This was at President McNeill's suggestion, and though he had it in mind the last convention, the thing which prompted him to forego introducing the subject at that time, is obvious. This will enable some smaller towns to hereafter entertain the convention, "which by the way, they all seem anxious to do," the matter of expense involved having heretofore precluded that possibility. Various papers were read and discussed and all delegates evinced an unusual interest in the discussions.

Entering as the last starter in a field of fifteen, with three teams tied for the lead, Newbern Company 1, the winner of the same event last year, won the feature of the card, the State horse hose wagon race at the tournament today in 33 2-5 seconds; clipping three-fifths of a second from the time of the three preceding leaders, Raleigh Rescue, Newbern Fourth Ward and the Capital Hose Company, of Raleigh, which tied at 34 flat.

The Caswell Kinston Company team was next with 34 1-5. The State hand reel contest, 150 yards, was won by the Chapel Hill team in 25 seconds. Chesnut-Hill of High Point, took second place with 25 4-5; Salem third, in 27 1-5, and Cannonville fourth, with 30 seconds flat.

Chesnut-Hill, of High Point, took first money in the grab reel which was marked by close finishes, time 18 seconds. Salem won second place, their time being one-fifth of a second slower than High Point's. Chapel Hill was three-fifths of a second behind Salem.

The first tournament was opened with a grand firemen's and floral parade. Nineteen horse hose wagons, six reel teams, two steam fire engines, one auto fire truck, and about a score of gaily-decorated motor car floats were in the procession in addition to carriages containing distinguished citizens, and fire chiefs. Twenty-five racing horses which later ran in the horse hose events, caparisoned in the colors of their teams, were led in the cavalcade which wound its way through the four principal streets of the city. Among the prize winning floats and vehicles were Miss Blanche Thornton's motor car, decorated as a yellow chariot, with white wings, containing Miss Thornton, Mrs. H. M. Pemberton, Mrs. J. B. Underwood and Mrs. S. W. Cooper, and that of Mrs. Andrew H. Ayres, the miniature hook and ladder truck of Masters Herbert and Ralph Lutterloh, Sam James and Charles MacRae, Hugh Hardison and John Huske.

The fire vehicles awarded prizes were those of Riverside Company, Newbern; Salisbury, Greensboro, Southside, Sumter, S. C.; Morehead City, Fayetteville, Kinston and Concord.

"The Workman's Lesson"

One old dog that learned new tricks. Educational and interesting. At The Grand Theatre today. **

SENATE RUSHING FOR ADJOURNMENT

Record of Progress Made Yesterday in Clearing Its Docket

SUNDRY CIVIL APPROPRIATIONS

Measure Passed With Number of Changes—Matters Affecting Alaska—Memorial at Arlington Cemetery.

Washington, July 24.—With the end of the Congressional session dependent upon the speed with which the Senate clears its docket, that body made a record of progress today. Among the important bills and resolutions passed were:

The Sundry Civil Appropriation bill, carrying $116,000,000 and providing for the continuance of the tariff board.

The Military Academy appropriation bill, carrying over $1,064,000.

The Alaskan Civil Government bill, establishing a legislature and partial home rule in the territory.

A resolution directing the Secretary of War to investigate claims of Americans to redress for injuries from Mexican outbreaks along the international border in 1911.

A revised Alaskan mining claim measure.

A bill making a Federal standard for apples shipped in barrels.

A bill authorizing $750,000 for a memorial amphitheatre at Arlington National cemetery, near Washington.

A bill to regulate sponge fishing in the Gulf of Mexico and Florida waters.

From these measures of a public character the Senate pushed on into the calendar of private and semi-public bills, and before adjournment tonight, had disposed of much important business that had been held back by the appropriation bills, the Panama canal debate, the Lorimer case and other hard-fought measures.

In the desire to hasten their legislation the Naval bill was not taken up today. The Democrats renewed their fight on the tariff board when the Sundry Civil bill went through the parliamentary procedure of passing from the "committee of the whole," into the "Senate," but the appropriation of $225,000 for the board was again endorsed. The provision will be the subject of a renewed fight in the conference committee.

The Alaskan civil government bill, which had already passed the House, will require perfecting in a conference committee before it goes to the President for signature. As passed in the Senate it would establish a legislature of one house, consisting of 16 members. The Alaskan assembly would meet once in two years, with its regular sessions restricted to 60 days and special sessions to 15 days, legislators drawing $15 per day for attendance. Senator Smith, chairman of the territories committee of the Senate, declared the measure had been perfected in the committee after consideration of the needs of the terirtorial government and the Senate agreed to the bill with practically no opposition.

The Appropriations Bill.

Washington, July 24.—The Sundry Civil Appropriation bill, carrying approximately $116,000,000 for the support of various bureaus and branches of the government, passed the Senate today. It contains increases of about $6,000,000 over the appropriations authorized by the House. The differences between the two bodies will be adjusted in conference.

The more important additions in the Senate include $225,000 for the tariff board; $350,000 for collecting the customs revenues; $400,000 for the prevention of epidemics, and emergency work against the bubonic plague; $650,000 for the public lands service, and $257,000 for National Park improvements. The bill is nearly $35,000,000 less than the estimates submitted to Congress and $26,000,000 less than the same bill last year.

An amendment carrying $70,000 for small hospitals for Alaskan natives was defeated once, but reconsidered and passed by enough Democrats changing their votes. Several Senators speaking in its support described sanitary conditions among the natives as shocking. Bishop Rowe, a noted Alaskan missionary, urged the provision before the Congress committees.

TROOPS AT CAMP PETTUS

Soldiers Arriving and Departing — Company Mustered Out

Anniston, Ala., July 24.—Beginning tomorrow a score or more special trains will leave here with the regiments which have been engaged in the second period of army maneuvers at Camp Pettus and others will arrive with those regiments which will occupy the camp for the third period. The latter will include the First Alabama Infantry, Third South Carolina Infantry, First, Second and Third Kentucky Infantry.

Colonel E. H. Graves, of the Fourth Alabama Regiment, today mustered out of service Company I, of Oxford, for general inefficiency.

Atlanta, Ga., July 24.—The Alexander Tippins bill, making more drastic the Georgia liquor laws, was passed by the State Senate today by a vote of 35 to 8. It passed the House several weeks ago.

SPORTING EVENTS

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Results Yesterday.

At Chicago, 5; Brooklyn, 1.
At Pittsburg-Boston (rain).
At Cincinnati, 7; New York, 8 (10 innings).
At St. Louis, 5; Philadelphia, 4.

Standing of the Clubs:

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
New York	65	21	.756
Chicago	53	33	.616
Pittsburg	49	34	.590
Philadelphia	41	41	.500
Cincinnati	44	45	.494
St. Louis	39	52	.429
Brooklyn	32	56	.364
Boston	23	64	.264

St. Louis, July 24.—Five hits and a sacrifice in the ninth inning netted four runs for the locals giving them the game 5 to 4 after the visitors had led all the way.

Philadelphia ....300 000 001—4 11 0
St. Louis .. ....000 020 003—5 14 1

Alexander and Killifer; Harmon, Sallee and Wingo. Time 2:00. Umpires Klem and Bush.

Chicago, July 24.—Chicago bunched hits today and won the final game of the series from Brooklyn 5 to 1. Cheney had fine control and kept the visitors' hits scattered. Brooklyn's lone run was made on a double, an out and a sacrifice fly.

Chicago .. ..310 100 00x—5 12 2
Brooklyn .. ....000 000 001—1 5 0

Cheney and Archer; Yingling and Erwin. Time 1:35. Umpires Owens and Brennan.

Cincinnati, July 24.—New York made a clean sweep of the series, winning the fourth game here today 8 to 7 in an exciting ten-inning battle. Fromme pitched well for seven innings when he weakened. Benton who relieved him was no improvement. Both Tesreau and Ames were hit freely. Both sides fielded poorly. McCormick's double in the tenth while batting for Ames won the game for New York.

New York .. ..100 010 310 2—8 13 6
Cincinnati .. ..002 011 101 1—7 15 2

Tesreau, Ames, Wiltse and Myers; Fromme, Benton, Humphries and McLean. Time 2:30. Umpires Rigler and Finneran.

CAROLINA ASSOCIATION.

At Greenville, 1; Charlotte, 3.
Second: Greenville, 5; Charlotte, 2.
At Greensboro, 3; Anderson, 11.
At Spartanburg, 15; Winston-Salem, 9.

Standing of the Clubs:

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Anderson	47	28	.627
Charlotte	44	31	.587
Winston-Salem	41	36	.532
Greensboro	34	42	.447
Spartanburg	34	42	.447
Greenville	28	49	.364

Carolina League.

At Greenville 1; Charlotte 3.
2nd: Greenville 5; Charlotte 2.
At Greensboro 3; Anderson 11.
At Spartanburg 15; Winston-Salem 9.

Virginia League.

At Roanoke 11; Portsmouth 0.
At Norfolk 0; Petersburg 5.
At Newport News 2; Richmond 3.

International League.

At Toronto 14; Providence 6.
2nd: Providence 0; Toronto 9.
At Montreal 7; Baltimore 4.
At Rochester 7; Newark 0.
At Buffalo-Jersey City, rain.

American Association.

At Minneapolis 7; Louisville 1.
2nd: Minneapolis 3; Louisville 1.
At Milwaukee 12; Columbus 4.
At Kansas City 2; Toledo 8.
At St. Paul 10; Indianapolis 5.

South Atlantic League.

At Albany 5; Savannah 0.
At Jacksonville 4; Columbia 5.
At Macon 10; Columbus 2.

Southern League.

At Mobile 3; Nashville 2.
At New Orleans 0; Memphis 3.
At Montgomery 6; Atlanta 9.
At Birmingham 6; Chattanooga 5.

Appalachian League.

At Bristol 3; Asheville 2; (12 innings.)
2nd: Bristol 5; Asheville 1.
At Johnson City 2; Cleveland 11.
At Knoxville 6; Morristown 2.

AMERICANS STILL LEAD.

Members of Olympic Team Take Part in Games in Berlin.

Berlin, July 24.—Several of the members of the American Olympic team were winners in the games held here today. Melvin W. Sheppard, of the Irish-American Athletic Club, won the 1,000 meters, establishing a new record of two minutes 32.9 seconds, which is 4.1 seconds better than the German record. Ralph Rose bettered by 15 centimeters (nearly six inches) the record for putting the square stone weighing 36 2-3 pounds, although he had never taken part in that event before. Donald F. Lippincott, University of Pennsylvania, easily defeated the German sprinter Rau, in the 200 meters dash. The Americans with the exception of Rose, left tonight for Budapest.

LONGWOOD TENNIS TOURNEY

McLoughlin Wins Singles at Boston, Defeating Larned

Boston, Mass., July 24.—Maurice E. McLoughlin, of San Francisco, won the Longwood Lawn Tennis singles tournament today by defeating E. P. Larned, of Summit, N. J., in the challenge match for the Longwood cup in straight sets. The scores were 6-4, 6-2, 6-4.

As the result of the match the Longwood cup goes out of the Larned family for the first time in ten years.

It was the first meeting in any large tournament of McLoughlin and E. P. Larned and the latter proved no match whatever for the Pacific coast star. From the first few strokes there was never a moment that McLoughlin was not the master of the situation.

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Results Yesterday.

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At Philadelphia-St. Louis (rain).
At Boston, 6; Cleveland, 11.
At New York, 4; Chicago, 3.

Standing of the Clubs.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Boston	63	28	.692
Washington	55	35	.611
Philadelphia	52	38	.578
Chicago	46	42	.523
Detroit	44	47	.484
Cleveland	44	48	.478
New York	27	57	.321
St. Louis	25	61	.291

Boston, July 24.—Boston lost today to Cleveland despite poor pitching by Steen. After the visitors had scored five runs in the seventh, a practically new Boston team was put in the field. They made four runs in two innings to the regulars' two runs in seven innings.

Boston .. ..101 000 013— 6 9 6
Cleveland .. ..401 000 501—11 11 1

Bedient, Hall, Pape and Nunemaker; Steen, Gregg and Livingston. Time 2:15. Umpires Connolly and Hart.

New York, July 24.—George McConnell, the New York recruit, won a pitchers battle here today from Ed Falsh, the crack Chicago twirler, by 4 to 3. Zinn won the game for New York in the eighth when he drove in two runs with a double.

Chicago .. .. ..100 100 010—3 9 1
New York .. ..011 000 02x—4 10 1

Walsh and Sullivan; McConnell and Sweeney. Time 1:55. Umpires Egan and Sheridan.

BASEBALL GAME SATURDAY

Coast Line Team Accepts Challenge To Play Delgado Boys

It was announced last night that all arrangements had been completed for a game of baseball to be pulled off Saturday afternoon at League Park between the Atlantic Coast Line team and the fast picked team from Delgado. To clinch the agreement beyond a doubt, forfeits of $25 were posted by each team last night, to guarantee that the game will be played. This amount will revert to the winner of the game. The game will be played on a percentage basis, the winner getting 75 per cent of the gate receipts, which guarantees a hotly-contested fight.

For the Coast Line "Pomp" Green will be on the mound with Starritt at the receiving end. This makes a combination that is hard to beat, as can be testified to by attendants at the games played in the City League last season. For Delgado the twirling stunt will be performed by Holt, who has quite an enviable record in amateur ball, and he will be co-operated with at the receiving end by Watson, the regular catcher of the team.

The Delgado band will furnish music during the game, and will also make a circuit of the city on a chartered car early Saturday afternoon to advertise the game. The admission of 25 cents will admit to any part of the stands, with no additional charge for grandstand, and the game will be called promptly at 3:30.

On the side, it is rumored that both sides are backing their confidence in their teams in a substantial way, and the contest will undoubtedly be bitterly fought both on the diamond and the grandstand.

GRAND CIRCUIT RACING

Queen Worthy Wins $10,000 Stake at Michigan State Fair

Detroit, Mich., July 24.—After five fiercely fought heats in the first four of which a different horse finished in front each time, Queen Worthy, owned and driven by Thomas A. Murphy, of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., was declared winner of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' $10,000 stake for 2:24 trotters, chief attraction of the grand circuit programme at the State fair grounds this afternoon. No starter was able to capture three of the five heats raced. Queen Worthy, having the best standing at the end of the race, received the major portion of the purse.

In both the first and fifth heats the decision of the judges in placing Murphy's mare in front was met with hoots and jeers from the stands. The Wanderer seemed to have won by half a length in the first heat, and Bierne Holt by a head in the fifth and the crowd refused to be satisfied with the official victory.

The 2:22 pace was easy for Warner Hall. He won in straight heats, coming to the front each time when ready.

Mary G., was best in the 2:22 trot. Cox kept her back in the bunch until headed for home then came along to win in straight heats.

There was nothing in the 2:07 pace to worry Braden Direct.

ANDERSON SELLS PITCHER

Wolfe Goes to Cleveland Americans At Close of Season

Anderson, S. C., July 24.—Announcement was made today that the Anderson club in the Charlotte Association, has sold Pitcher Ernie Wolfe to the Cleveland Americans. The price was not made public. Wolfe will report to Cleveland September 2nd, at the close of the Carolina League season.

New York, July 24.—The Standard Oil Company of New York today announced a reduction of 15 points in the price of refined petroleum, making refined in cases 10.33 cents per gallon, refined in tanks 4.80 and standard white in barrels, 8.45.

Yesterday afternoon's Fayetteville Observer: "Mr. Paul Taylor, one of Fayetteville's boys, but now with the A. C. L. R. R. at Wilmington, is visiting his mother on Cool Spring street. ——Miss Mary Baldwin Mitchell and Miss Fannie Starr Mitchell, of Wilmington, are this week visiting Miss Hattie Starr Owen, on Hay street."

Insect Bite Costs Leg.

A Boston man lost his leg from the bite of an insect two years before. To avert such calamities from stings and bites of insects use Bucklen's Arnica Salve promptly to kill the poison and prevent inflammation, swelling and pain. Heals burns, boils, ulcers, piles, eczema, cuts, bruises. Only 25 cents at R. R. Bellamy.

RUMOR OF SENSATIONS

Detectives Have Been at Work In Wilmington Several Weeks—Before the Grand Jury—Indictments Today Likely

That detectives have been quietly at work under the direction of Councilman B. C. Moore, of the Department of Public Safety, for the past several weeks, collecting evidence to be used against alleged violators of the prohibition law and other classes of offenders at the present term of Superior Court, became known yesterday, when Mr. W. M. Pinson, said to be one of the best detectives in the country, and his assistant, who is also an experienced detective, were summoned before the grand jury to give certain information that they have gathered during their investigations.

There is a strong probability that there will be some sensations in court this morning, according to rumor on the streets last night. It seems from the report that the officers are not only after "blind tigers" and women of the underworld, but that there may be indictmets brought against a number for gambling or conducting gambling places, certain automobile owners or drivers for nuisance in hauling passengers to and from the houses of ill repute and for soliciting for them. Report has it that Mr. Pinson, whose career was given rather extensively in a communication in Sunday's paper, has made a most thorough investigation of conditions here extending over a period of several weeks and that he is prepared to give some startling testimony. Mr. Pinson is a former minister of the gospel, having quit preaching to aid in the enforcement of law and order by means of his talents as a detective. In this he has been highly successful, having ridden several cities and towns of "blind tigers" and other forms of lawlessness. That he has collected important evidence in Wilmington is the belief of those heard to discuss the rumor last night.

Armed with capiases for 15 or more men against whom, it is presumed, the grand jury had returned bills charging violations of the prohibition law, five deputy sheriffs spent the early afternoon and a good part of the night in searching for their men and found—not a one. Not a single man among the number could be located anywhere, and their places were all closed. The names of the men for whom capiases were issued were withheld from publication by order of the court, but it is understood that they are men who were not among the number indicted at a previous term of court and ho entered pleas of nolo contendere.

It is said that a number of the men who are named in the capiases have been out of the city for several days, and that their places have not been open since court convened. Others are believed to have had their suspicions aroused in advance of the arrival of the officers and to have made themselves conspicious by their absence.

There is said to have been a general exodus from the city of many people connected with alleged "blind tigers" and also of others who frequent questionable places, following the raids by the police on two so-called social clubs Sunday morning and the strong charge of Judge Carter to the grand jury Monday morning.

Many people who have occasion to be on the streets at late hours have remarked on the unusual quietness that is prevailing now, and upon the absence of the usual large crowds that are to be seen at almost any hour. One gentleman remarked yesterday that Wilmington appears a different city by night since court convened this week.

Sea Girt, N. J., July 24.—Governor Wilson today interrupted the writing of his speech of acceptance long enough to sign several papers and letters taken to him by his secretary. When the secretary returned here he said he did not know when the speech would be completed, but that the Governor woud return to Sea Girt not later than Saturday.

NO MORE FIELD AGENTS.

Can't Trot Around Country to Boost The Congressmen

Washington, July 24.—The Federal government will no longer pay the expenses of officers or employees of the Department of Agriculture to deliver lectures or impart information on agriculture to assembled farmers, students of universities, summer schools or boys' camps, as has been the custom of the past.

Comptroller Tracewell, of the Treasury Department, so advised Secretary Wilson today in a broad interpretation of a recent act of Congress prohibiting the payment by the government of dues of employees for membership in associations or their traveling expenses to conventions or meetings, unless specifically authorized by Congress.

Secretary Wilson thought his department escaped the embargo because the organic act of the department stipulates that one of its functions is to acquire and diffuse to the people of the country useful information regarding agriculture.

The comptroller also held that Secretary Fisher was not authorized to pay expenses of field agents of the Interior Department to attend conferences with local organizations on land matters.

SHARK ATTACKS MAN.

Artilleryman Near Fort Moultrie Suffers Severe Injury to Foot.

Charleston, S. C., July 24.—While swimming in about four and a half feet of water off Sullivan's Island Corporal Kirkpatrick, of the 78th Company Coast Artillery Corps, was bitten yesterday afternoon by an eight foot shark. The soldier sustained the loss of several toes, and amputation of the lower part of the leg may be necessary to prevent blood poisoning. He is in the army hospital at Ft. Moultrie.

Kirkpatrick, seeing the shark, undertook to escape by hurrying for the shore. The fish followed him and snapped at his feet. The victim suffered great pain. Comrades assisted him to the hospital. It is considered remarkable that a man-eater should be swimming in such shallow water.

Hempstead, N. Y., July 24.—Edson F. Gallaudet, a wealthy amateur aviator, while flying at Hempstead Plains today, fell with his machine from a height of 100 feet. He was seriously hurt.

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$19.00	Suits at	16.55
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$16.50	Suits at	13.39
$15.00	Suits at	12.45
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DESIGN FOR HORNE MONUMENT

Commission Decides Upon Memorial—Sixty People Apply for Clerkship—Judge Connor Hears Matters In Chambers

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., July 24.—The commission for selecting the design for and having erected the monument to North Carolina women of the Confederacy to be presented to the State by Col. Ashley Horne at a cost of $10,000 to $12,000 this afternoon definitely selected the design having the figure of the Southern woman and Southern youth as the central feature.

This was selected instead of the other design offered that shows the Southern woman with a Southern maiden beside her. The designs are both by Augustus Lukeman, who was selected some time ago as the sculptor for the monument. The idealized Southern woman and grandson are to be posed on a massive granite base on either side of which will be in bas relief figures illustrating the going with the blessings of the heroic woforth of the Southern men to war men and the return of the war-worn remnant to wasted homes aid heartbroken wives and daughters. There will be a paved square extending from the rear of the monument to the curb about 15 feet, the paved court being 30 feet long. Seats will be arranged at either side. There will be a private hedge at the back and two sides. The monument will have place in capital square facing the main entrance to the new State building. It is expected that the monument will be in place within a year. Here for the meeting of the commission to select the design were Col. Ashley Horne, Mrs. Horne, J. A. Long, Roxboro; Col. W. H. S. Burgwin, Henderson; Mrs. W. M. Williams, Newton; Maj. H. A. London, Pittsboro; Col. J. Bryan Grimes and R. D. W. Connor, Raleigh.

Somewhere about sixty different people have applied to Judge H. G. Connor for the clerkship of the Federal Court here that was to have been given to the lamented George Green, life-long friend of the judge had he not died before he was to have been appointed July 1st. It develops that the change contemplated in the clerkship was purely one of a personal character, Judge Connor desiring to accord this manifestation of substantial appreciation to one who had helped him very greatly in the past. Now it is understood that Major H. L. Grant, who has been clerk for twelve years, will continue indefinitely with indications that there will be no change in the clerkship for some time to come.

Judge Connor is here this week hearing a number of cases in chambers. One of the most notable is Parrish vs. Foreman-Blades Lumber Co., involving title to extensive lands in Perquimans and Pasquotank counties. Counsel for the plaintiff are R. W. Winston, George W. Ward, C. E. Thompson, W. H. Tillett, and for the defendant W. D. Pruden, A. D. McLean, J. B. Lee and James H. Pou. W. M. Bond sold the lands in question some years ago as commissioner and in view of his relation with the property in the past he withdrew from any relation as counsel in the impending case. He was here for the hearing yesterday.

The Seaboard Air Line has just paid the $30,000 judgment in the case of Duvall vs. Seaboard Air Line, in which the suit was that of Baggage Master Duvall started in Moore county court for injuries in a wreck several years ago. The case has the distinction of having resulted in the largest verdict for individual damages that has ever been rendered in North Carolina. H. F. Seawell, United States District Attorney, and Douglass & Lyon, of this city, were the counsel for the plaintiff, who was paralyzed from his waist down by the injuries he sustained in the wreck.

An amendment to the charter of the Greensboro, Ashboro and Norfolk Railroad Co., of Greensboro, was filed with the Secretary of State today changing the name of the company to Greensboro, Northern and Atlantic Railroad Co. F. O. Troy is president of the company. The change of name was authorized at a meeting of the directors held in the Greensboro office of the company, July 17th.

Charters were issued today for the M. C. McManaway's Garage, Inc., of Charlotte, capital $20,000, C. R. McManaway and others. The Swink-Hudson Co., of Tryon, capital $10,000 by T. G. Swink and others and the Bostian Shoe Co., Albermarle, capital $20,000 authorized and $4,500 subscribed by J. C. Bostian and others.

DAVIDSON ALUMNI

Association at Greensboro — Judge Clark Postpones Speech—Hotel

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Greensboro, N. C., July 24.—The Guilford County Alumni Association of Davidson College was formed in Greensboro last night when local alumni of the Presbyterian school gathered around a heavily laden banquet board. Mayor T. J. Murphy was the presiding officer and acted as toastmaster. Several talks were made along the general trend that a Davidson College alumni association had long been needed here. Dr. W. J. Martin, president of Davidson College, was present and spoke a few words of encouragement to the local alumni.

In a telegram last night to his brother-in-law, Joseph W. Nicholson, Judge Walter Clark, announced an indefinite postponement of his keynote speech in his race for the United States Senate which he had planned to deliver here tomorrow night.

Following close on the heels of the announcement last night that Greensboro citizens had voted $130,000 in bonds for civic improvements, came the statement that another hotel is practically assured for Greensboro. It is said that plans are for the erection of a $100,000 hostelry!; that an option is held on a valuable piece of property by two well-known and responsible hotel men.

Special Tonight at Lumina.

Mrs. Frank Pearson will sing two songs tonight at Lumina during the intermissions between dances. Her songs will be "Good Night, Dear," and "Arab Love Song." **

AT CAMP WILSON.

Heat and Sand Flies—Fishing Party. Baseball Game.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Camp Wilson, Southport, N. C., July 24.—General Order No. 7: Guard detail for Wednesday, July 23rd: Officer of the day, Capt. Branch; sergeant of the guard, J. H. Gerdes; privates, C. Gerdes, J. Fowler and Purvis.

Believe us, Wednesday was some hot day at Camp Wilson, hardly a breath of air stirring all during the day or night. And sand flies! Only our painful duty as a newspaper man forces us to talk about them. Praise be, Southport only gives us one such day every two or three years. About 12 o'clock "Dusty" Davis, "My Friend" Tom, "Heart Broken" Johnnie, and a few other bespattered mortals took up their beds and walked to the government wharf, there to woo the soft-eyed maid of sleep. Barring a fruitless attack of the painting squad, and a short onslaught of the disappointed flies, their quest was successful, and soon lulled by the gentle lapping of the little wavelets all were lost in slumber.

Company B broke into Class A yesterday with that game they put up against Fort Caswell. Nine innings of exciting play resulted in a score of 4 to 3 in favor of Fort Caswell. The boys are jubilant over the showing they made because the post team is considered one of the best around these diggin's—all big huskies, too. The work put up by Happy Ned in the box and Mac Wilson at the receiving end for the Brigade was of the classy sort. "Baby" Wilson's hit in the sixth was a peach also. Two doubles of major league variety were handed out, one in the fourth inning, Register to Fick to Branch; and another in the eighth, Register to Fick. The batting of Uncle Sam's boys was also a feature, as was the pitching of Stevenson. The line-up for the Brigade was as follows: Wilson, c; Register, E., p; Fisk, 1b; Huhn, 2b; Branch, 3b; H. Register, ss; McCartney, lf; Leon Davis, cf; G. Bornemann, rf.

Wednesday, July 24th:—The fishing trip this morning was one of the most richly rewarded of the week, about 150 trout and 50 Virginia mullets and croakers yielding to the lure of our fishermen. The crew attribute their good luck to the charms of the fair sex among the party. Those responsible for the catch were Misses Ida May Rudd and Maud Owen, Portsmouth, Va., and Mesdames Sam Brittain and James Price, Wilmington.

SPOKEN LIKE A MAN

Democratic State Chairman Answers Letter of Clark, Junior

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., July 24.—Referring to Mr. Walter Clark's "Junior" letter in the daily papers, Chas. A. Webb, chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee, said today.

"I shall not permit myself to be involved in a controversy at the outset of my work as State chairman with Mr. Walter Clark, Jr., or any other Democrat. It is my duty to cultivate harmony and to treat all concerned impartially. The Senatorial candidates can rest assured that I shall give each of them a square deal in all matters that I have anything to do with. On the other hand, I shall expect that they and their managers will consider the interests of the Democratic party as paramount to their ambitions. The fact that I voted "No" on the proposition to postpone the consideration of the matter of defining the words Democratic ticket in the State Executive Committee should be well-known to young Mr. Clark. He was present. I spoke distinctly. The secretary recorded me voting "No" and the papers reported me as so voting. Why he should have misrepresented my action in this matter is not for me to explain. If I could I would make an explanation creditable to Mr. Clark. I am sure that I can leave the matter with the Democrats of North Carolina while I go on with my work of organizing our forces for the battle now so shortly at hand."

GOOD ROADS ASSOCIATION

Railroads Give Reduced Rates to the Charlotte Meeting

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Chapel Hill, N. C., July 24.—Arrangements have been made with the following railroads: Atlantic Coast Line, Carolina, Clinchfield and Ohio, Durham & Southern, Norfolk Southern and (Raleigh, Charlotte and Southern), Seaboard Air Line and Southern, (Danville and Western), for excursion rates to Charlotte, N. C., and return on account of the North Carolina Good Roads Convention which is to be held there August 1st and 2nd, from all points in North Carolina on the above lines and f rom Portsmouth, Suffolk, Boykins and Danville, Va.

These excursion tickets will be on sale going from July 31st, and on trains scheduled to arrive at Charlotte before noon of August 2nd. Returning passengers must plan to reach original starting point not later than midnight of August 5th. The excursion rates are on file at the depots, and, in each case, is approximately equal to one fare plus one-third, except where the original fare is under one dollar.

CADETS WANT EXONERATION.

Senate Asks Taft to Reopen Military Academy Suspension Cases.

Washington, July 24.—The Senate today passed a joint resolution directing President Taft to re-submit to another court martial for re-consideration of the sentence imposed by a previous trial, the cases of West Point cadets Ralph I. Sasse, of Wilmington, Del.; Ellicott H. Freeland, of Jacksonville, Fla.; Tatnall D. Simpkins, of Albany, Ga., and John D. Christian, of Lynchburg, Va., dismissed from the military academy last August for intoxication.

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SMALLPOX IN LENOIR.

Outbreak Reported at LaGrange—Assault on Child—Kinston Notes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Kinston, N. C., July 24.—An epidemic of smallpox is giving the health officers of the county and the town of LaGrange trouble, a number of cases having developed in that place recently. General vaccination has been ordered in the town, which has a population of 1,200 or 1,500 people. Among the victims is W. N. Parks, a prominent business man of the town.

An unusually malicious case was tried here before Justice Bagby, when Charles Sutton, a negro, was arraigned for assaulting a baby in arms. The baby was Sutton's step-child. In a moment of anger or jealousy, he struck the little one full in he face with his fist. Exhibited in court, the child's face was a pitiful picture, one eye being closed and it having suffered a severe hemorrhage of the nose. Sutton was sentenced to a month on the roads.

An officer of the army and an enlisted man, both from the same family, and both visiting their parents here at the same time, are Maj. W. F. Lewis and Sergt. Frank C. Lewis, U. S. A. The soldiers are in the sanitary department and coast artillery corps of the army, respectively. Messrs. Lewis are the sons of two of Kinston's best known citizens, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Lewis, and brothers of E. B. Lewis, the well known fraternal man and member of the National council of the Woodmen of the World.

So many compliments were showered upon Kinston's musical organization, the Second Infantry Band, at the recent encampment at Morehead, that the outfit has taken on added life and created a sensation in militia circles by beginning the annual drill season 12 months in advance of the annual encampment. The fact that the ardent amateurs are practicing twice a week in order to "show off" at next year's encampment has caused much amusement among the other local military organizations. Capt. Daugherty, of the army, told the Second Regiment Band that it had increased in efficiency from a positive "earsore" to a pleasing perfection in 12 months' time, and his opinion, with many others, has caused a deal of zealous enthusiasm among the men. A full strength of 40 men is to be secured at once, which will add about seven to the roster.

LUMBERTON NEWS NOTES.

Kingsdale Mill Changes Management. Dr. Norment's Condition.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Lumberton, N. C., July 24.—Mr. W. E. Jackson, general manager of the Kingsdale Lumber Company, of this place for several years, tendered his resignation yesterday and Mr. E. L. Holloway, who has been connected with the business for some time, was appointed to succeed him, assuming charge this morning. When it was learned at the mill yesterday that a change of management was taking place several employes, six or eight of the number being saw filers, threw up their jobs and walked out. This, however, will not affect the operation of the plant and work will proceed as though no change had taken place. Mr. Holloway is one of the best mill men in this section, and under his management the Kingsdale mill should continue to do a big business. Mr. Jackson's plans have not been learned for the future, but it is to be hoped that he will continue to remain a citizen of Lumberton as he is regarded as one of the very best citizens that has ever resided here, and our people would regret very much to part with him and his most excellent family.

The condition of Dr. R. M. Norment, who has been critically ill for several days, shows no signs of improvement, and his passing is regarded as only a question of hours.

FIRE IN OIL PLANT.

Marcus Hook, Pa., Sees Destructive Blaze—Steamer Burns.

Marcus Hook, Pa., July 24.—Fire at the plant of the Union Petroleum Company here early today destroyed the warehouse, barrel factory, tin factory, several oil tanks and part of the wharf of the company and almost completely wrecked the British tank steamer Trinidian.

Several freight cars also were burned. The loss, aside from that sustained by the steamer, is estimated at $200,000.

The steamer was so heavily loaded that she could not be gotten out of the path of the fire and was soon ablaze. Capt. Swank and his crew of 29 men were asleep when the fire started and had barely time to escape in small boats.

ICE TRUCK AFIRE.

Salisbury Has Novel Blaze on Its Streets.

Salisbury, N. C., July 24.—The Salisbury fire department was called out yesterday morning to "put out" the large ice truck of the Salisbury Ice & Fuel Company. The gasoline tank had just been refilled and when the machine was cranked, the front end of the truck was immediately wrapped in flames. The magneto was burned out and the woodwork scorched before the flames could be extinguished.

Aunt Sally's Advice to Beauty Seekers

K. C. F. asks: "Will you tell me how to get my hands white and soft? They have become rough and are so dark in contrast to my arms." The method mentioned in reply to Eloise will bring the desired results; wear gloves to prevent solling the bed linen.

D. N. A. writes: "How can I reduce a double chin? Also how to get rid of crow's feet?" Use a wash lotion prepared by dissolving 1 oz. powdered saxolite in 1-2 pint witch hazel. This tightens the skin, tending to disperse wrinkles as well as flabbiness about the chin or elsewhere.

Eloise says: "My freckles are worse than ever this year, made doubly conspicuous by a pallid complexion. Is there any cure?" Ask your druggist for an ounce of mercolized wax, apply nightly like cold cream, removing in the morning with warm water. As the wax gradually absorbs the lifeless cuticle, not only will the freckles vanish, but the new and younger skin which appears will have a healthy color. Probably you will need to continue treatment a week or more—Woman's Realm.

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DEPARTURES:	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS:
No. 90, ! 3:40 A. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad. No. 91 leaves Norfolk 13:35 P. M. and Richmond 14:10 P. M.	No. 91, a 1:00 A. M.
No. 51, 5:35 A. M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, Ft. Myers, Columbia and Asheville. Pullman Sleeping Cars Between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.	No. 50, *12:30 A. M.
No. 64, ! 6:50 A. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate Stations.	No. 65, ! 6:25 P. M.
No. 48, * 8:30 A. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. Pullman Parlor Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York Trains with Pullman Service.	No. 49, * 6:15 P. M.
No. 53, * 8:45 A. M.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford Through Pullman Parlor Car Service between Wilmington and Greensboro.	No. 52, * 8:05 P. M.
N. 55, * 3:15 P. M.	Chadourn, Conway (!), Florence, Charleston, Savannah, All Florida Points, Columbia, Asheville and the West. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia.	No. 54, 1:40 P. M.
No. 62, 3:25 P.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate Stations.	No. 63, 12:50 P.M.
No. 59, ! 6:30 P. M.	Fayetteville, Sanford and Intermediate Stations.	No. 60, !10:15 A. M.
No. 42, * 7:00 P. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, with Pullman and Dining Car Service. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41, *10:00 A. M.
No. 57 * 7:30 P. M.	Chadbourn, Conway and Intermediate Stations.	No. 58, * 8:30 A. M.

* Daily. ! Daily except Sunday. a Daily except Monday.

For folders, reservations, rates of fares, etc., can 'phone 160.

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To the Beach

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

In Effect June 1st, 1912.

WEEK DAYS:

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Beach
6:30 A.M. and every half hour thereafter until 11:00 P.M.	6:05 A.M. 7:15 A.M. and every half hour until 11:45 P.M.
12:00 P.M. * 6:10 P.M.	

* Business Men's Express daily except Saturday and Sunday stops only at Wrightsville and stations on the Beach.

FREIGHT:

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Beach.
6:00 A.M.	7:15 A.M.
10:00 A.M.	12:15 P.M.
4:00 P.M.	6:15 P.M.
7:00 P.M.	8:15 P.M.

Freight depot open daily except Sunday from 8:00 A. M. until 1:00 P. M., and from 2:00 P. M. until 7:00 P. M.

SUNDAYS:

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Beach.
7:00 A.M.	7:15 A.M.
8:30 A.M. and every half hour thereafter until 11:00 P.M.	7:45 A.M. 9:15 A.M. and every half hour thereafter until 11:45 P.M.
12:00 P.M.	

FREIGHT:

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Beach.
11:00 A.M.	12:15 P.M.

Freight depot open Sundays from 10:00 A. M. to 11:00 A. M.

Express trains stop only at Wrightsville and stations on the Beach.

TELEPHONE 667

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W. B. & S. R. R.

Schedule in Effect Sunday, July 14th, 1912.

P. M.		A. M.
*3:15	Lv. . . . .Wilmington . . .Ar.	8:30
4:05	" . . . . .Town Creek.	" 7:35
4:20	" . . . . . .Bolivia.	" 7:20
4:55	Ar. . . . .Southport . . . .Lv.	6:45

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No. 39—3:25 P. M.; arrive Hamlet 7:40 P. M.; leave Hamlet 8 P. M.; arrive Charlotte, 11 P. M. Connects at Hamlet with through trains for Atlanta, Birmingham, Columbia, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa. Also Norfolk, Richmond and all points north. Pullman chair car between Wilmington and Charlotte, and sleeper between Wilmington and Atlanta daily. Through to Birmingham Sundays and Wednesdays.

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No. 44—12:10 A. M., from Charlotte and intermediate points.

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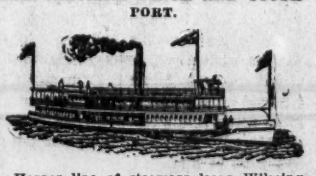

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Lv. Lynchburg	2:40 p.m.	2:30 a.m.
Ar. Cincinnati	7:20 a.m.	6:25 p.m.
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Thursday, July 25, 1912.

Some men cultivate a habit of talking like a snapping cur if it could give expressions to its dislikes.

When a woman wants to have her own way nothing but a joy ride will induce her to take another route.

Our idea of an optimist is a fellow who can eat a ham sandwich and trust to luck to get another just like it next day.

The Progressive Party has split in Illinois, Pennsylvania, Georgia and Virginia. The "plain people" do not seem to agree any more than any other kind of people.

A South Carolina preacher said a few days ago: "When a young man goes out on the streets of Spartanburg at night, he goes out in the very fumes of hell." That seems to definitely locate a place about which there seems to have been considerable doubting and disputing here of late.

Great political battles are fought every two and four years and there is a great amount of wind-jamming about reform. So-called new issues are sprung, but after the election matters remain as they were before or else go from bad to worse. It is because standpatters and reactionaries win and simply stand pat or react.

Over 2,000 letters have been received by Governor Wilson from former Republicans pledging him support in his race for President. Extracts from a number of these letters have been printed and they breathe the right spirit. The originals are on file in the Governor's office and can be seen if desired.—Greensboro Record.

If you appreciate a good joke, watch for the circumlocutory declaration of the Bull Moose convention on these extraordinary paramount questions—the tariff and privilege, and the trusts and combines which unlawfully exploit the people. Prepare to laugh at a variety of side-stepping that will be first cousin to the turkey trot.

It's funny to hear the politicians tell what "the people want." The fact is the people don't know what they want till some leather-lunged orator and persistent palaverer persuades them to get together and want him. That is what a political agitator wants and it seems to be an easy matter for a whole lot of men to get excited over what some real slick politician wants for himself—an office that looks juicy and good to him.

The Virginia Teddyistas, like their Georgia brothers, have divided on the color line and will send contesting delegations to the Chicago convention to be held August 5th. State Chairman Moore of the "Lilly White" faction, has called a convention to meet in Richmond, July 30th. Roosevelt's negro followers say they haven't been treated right, and both State conventions will send delegates to Chicago where they will fight it out.

An Associated Press dispatch from Seagirt two or three days ago announced that Nominee Wilson had retired to a private retreat "to concentrate his mind" and "think over" what he will have to say in his speech accepting the Democratic party's nomination for President. tI is somewhat refreshing that we are to have some expression of views that have been carefully thought over. Consideration and conviction are to be exercised in connection with questions which affect the well being and happiness of all the 101,000,000 people of our continental and colonial domains. Well, it's different. That's all.

FREE LIST DIFFERENCES.

Free iron ore was an Aldrich proposition so the Steel Trust could get Cuban ore without paying any revenue to the government. To put ore on the free list and keep iron and steel products on the protected list was a Republican plan to further aid a trust without affording any relief to people who buy iron manufactures. As the only importer of iron ores it is quite plain that the Steel Trust would be the only beneficiary of imported ores free of duty that would yield a revenue to the government.

To lopp off a certain amount of revenue from any imported product means that it would have to be made up by taxing some other product so the government would not run short of something for its big box. Both the Republican and Democratic tariff makers have resorted to the free list, but it took Oscar W. Underwood to do it in the interest of the people and not in the interest of the trusts. In his Democratic way of tariff making he deftly shifted the revenue taxes from necessaries purchased by the poor to luxuries which the rich are able and willing to buy.

In revising the tariff both parties resort to the free list but with an entirely different motive. Because the Republican party puts some commodities on the free list it does not in any way violate its protective policy but makes free raw material auxiliary to the benefit already had from protection. Because the Democratic party puts some commodities on the free list it is no evidence of its being a free trade party. The Democratic party is a tariff for revenue party, and its present policy is to gradually lower the duties to a strictly revenue basis so the government can be sure of public funds without revolutionizing or crippling any of the industries of the coutry. That is what we call a safe and sane tariff policy that will benefit consumers and eventually cut out privilege.

The Democratic party isn't any free list party because it puts some commodities on the free list. Its real policy is to make all imports bear whatever duty is necessary for the government, while incidentally putting on the free list such commodities as are required by the necessities of the masses. Some of our Democratic friends, however, do not seem to be able to discriminate concerning this free list proposition, and have shown a disposition to kick around the "houn' dawg" of some Southern Senators and Representatives who voted against the free list as it was made up by Payne and Aldrich as further privilege for the tariff favorites of Republicanism—for instance, putting iron ore and lumber on the free list, the one to benefit the Steel Trust and the other to benefit the American owners of the great Canadian timber regions. Don't, therefore, let us do any useless howling over the free list question till we learn the difference between the way Republican tariff makers do the trick and the motives which prompt Democratic tariff makers in leaving the tax off certain commodities.

Free list motives and purposes are different, and it would show good sense in us to learn that any Democrat can oppose certain free lists and favor others and still remain a true and consistent Democrat. Of course, it might happen that he possibly may be wrong in a few instances, but if it was an error in judgment and not with perverse design and malice aforethought, the defendant would not be guilty, especially if he had been faithful in many things and only slipped up in some minor particulars.

What appears to some Democrats as a protective duty, after all is only a good revenue producer and we make a mistake when we do not stop to discriminate. A revenue duty may be 10 per cent. ad valorem on one commodity and 40 per cent. on another, while in some instances 40 per cent. may be less protective than 10 per cent. It is a question requiring close study and knowledge, and it is not one to be settled off-hand at the cross roads or on the street corner.

Free raw material for the trusts and free markets for protected trust products is a Republican scheme for which the average Democrat has to keep his eyes skinned.

ADVERTISING A TOWN.

The enterprising, thrifty and growing city of Durham does not seem to have taken any Summer vacation—not so far as boosting the city goes. Durham is right on the job here in midsummer when the grass is likely to be permitted to grow under our feet.

The Star is glad to note that the boosters of that tobacco manufacturing city—the Bull City—believe in working Winter and Summer, and if there is anything that looks good to us it is to see others linking down to work while we are resting and cutting out work for next Winter.

According to the Durham Herald, the Commercial Club of that city is doing booster work that called for a 12-line head in Tuesday's paper. The article is necessarily long, but here is part of the Herald's article telling of Durham's new plan to pull industries:

"At a recent meeting of the executive committee of the Commercial Club, Secretary Tufts submitted to them an advertising campaign for the city and the committee approved the plan and gave the secretary power to act in the matter. The campaign will be a little bit different from any that has ever before been put on by a commercial club in the State, in that the Durham club will make a special bid for specific industries and will use the newspapers and trade papers exclusively. Mr. Tufts is very much opposed to this general advertising, such as write-ups in magazines, which cost a great deal of money and can bring in but little results. He does not believe in that kind of boosting which always deals in generalities about "our city being the best in the world." In this advertising campaign he intends giving the people he wishes to interest the facts that they need to help them to decide on some location for new industries. For instance, the club is making a special offer to get companies manufacturing cotton specialties to locate in Durham. He is going to use the newspapers of the cities where the companies are located. The local end for this arrangement has been completed. The club has induced a local owner to remodel one of the old tobacco storages so that it will accommodate a number of these small plants at a very attractive rental figure. Should the plant wishing to locate in Durham wish a bigger factory plant, the club has on record a number of factory sites, which would be given gratis to the right kind of an industry."

We have frequently declared that a city must have a definite plan to secure industries or to promote them, and we have been asked several times what "a definite plan" is. Well, Durham has a definite plan as will be seen from the above statement of that plan. It seems to be a good one, but there are others equally as good. However, nothing of any great shakes can be accomplished in an indefinite way. To advertise the adaptabilities and advantages of a city is too indefinite for practical purposes, but when a real plan is advertised and a well defined proposition is made, it is sure to bring results. Durham has a plan that embraces atractive propositions that mean business. It shows that the boosters of that city are tired throwing out the hook and waiting for a bite, but, instead, they have actually gone after industries and have taken a sack along to bring them in.

In the meantime, Durham had better take a stick and stir up the home folks to the advantages they have for manufacturing on their own account. The proposition of the Commercial Club may look good to some Durham capitalists, and the offer ought to hold as good for them as it does for outsiders. In fact, most cities have to depend upon the enterprise of their own business men, and many of them will take stock in an industry if it is hunted up and the proposition is laid before them for consideration. However, Durham is on the right track, and we hope she is going to win success and set us a fine example with actual achievements.

THE STATE'S PORT.

Charleston is the ocean gateway of the State of South Carolina, just as Wilmington is for North Carolina. The Star has many times referred to the fact that a port is not a local affair, but has emphasized the fact that its opportunities for water traffic belong to the State and even to States at a distance of several hundred miles. For instance, far away Birmingham, on different occasions, has availed itself of the port of Wilmington to export two cargoes of pig iron to the west coast of South America. If that means anything, it signifies that we can make Wilmington an ocean gateway for Alabama as well as for North Carolina.

The South Carolinians have waked up to the fact that Charleston as a city is a locality but that as a port it belongs to South Carolina. They are late finding it out, but it is not too late to realize it and make the port of Charleston available for the relief of the State, in the way of lowering freight rates from the sea to the mountains. In that particular, water freights would lift a burden from the industrial, commercial and agricultural interests of every county, city and hamlet in the State.

Spartanburg, way up in the Piedmont, seems to be taking the lead in its realization that the port of Charleston can be made an asset of Spartanburg and every other commercial and manufacturing city in South Carolina. Spartanburg is quite a manufacturing city, and it has occurred that the means of export and import available at Charleston means much for the industries of that Piedmont cotton manufacturing city. Spartanburg, having had its eyes opened to that fact, has called a conference to be held in that city to urge State aid in developing the port of Charleston. A call for that important conference has been sent all over the State and delegates are invited from all quarters. Quite naturally, it is gratifying to Charleston, and the Post is moved to say:

"A veritable revolution of sentiment, in this season of revolutions, has come about in this State, as regards the City by the Sea, for when did ever such an idea as the Spartanburg plan dawn upon the conscience of the Palmetto people before? A group of Spartanburg business men have seen the light, declaring to the State that Charleston must be given a helping hand and a co-operative lift toward a high standard of shipping facilities, and must be made a port of the State worthy of her natural advantages. It behooves the business men of Charleston to recognize such a progressive spirit, not merely by passive approval, but by active response to the call sent out. This city should have the largest and most representative delegation of all the communities of the State at the Spartanburg port meeting."

We hope the Charleston conference will cause all of North Carolina to sit up and take notice. Evidently South Carolina is on the eve of following the example of Connecticut. The Legislature of that State voted an appropriation of $1,000,000 to construct modern port terminals at New London, to be operated under public control for the benefit of the entire State.

CURRENT COMMENT.

Two men as big as Oscar Underwood and Woodrow Wilson were bound to make big hits, each with the other, and they did.—Philadelphia Record.

The Tarboro Southerner reports a story of counterfeit nickels in Tarboro. We would not have been surprised by this story coming from Virginia, but it is hard to imagine how North Carolina counterfeiters can be such pikers as that.—Charlotte Observer.

WILL THE PEOPLE STAND FOR IT?

Would that every man in New Hanover county could have heard Judge Carter's charge to the grand jury Monday morning; and that every woman would read the printed report, because upon the mothers and daughters and sisters the fruits of unrestrained vice fall with the heaviest hand.

It is a privilege to be a member of the present grand jury, for rarely has it been the good fortune of a jury to hear a charge so clear, so direct, so sincere, so sympathetic. If men will not respond to their duty under such an inspiration, dull indeed must be their sense of privilege and responsibility.

As respects the prohibition law, it is true that some oppose prohibition as a matter of public policy, and among these some excellent citizens, but it is one thing to oppose the policy of prohibition as a system, and quite another thing to obstruct the enforcement of the law. True, equally is it, that certain elements, for obviously selfish purposes, seek to create the impression that local public sentiment is against the enforcement of the law, and to this end keep up a strenuous propaganda, through various mouthpieces; but the majority of the men of New Hanover county are law-abiding citizens; intelligent men who know that the unrestrained disregard of any one law tends to weaken the protective force of all laws, and that no one class of citizens can claim immunity from one law's demands without exempting all classes from the observance of all laws. This spells chaos and the dissolution of organized society.

It is undoubtedly true that the courts cannot enforce law against public sentiment, but it will not be denied that the obligation is upon the judge, especially of a local court, to interpret public sentiment correctly, and refuse to accept the special pleadings of selfish interests for the public sentiment of the community. In this county public sentiment is against lawlessness, but the law is impotent. Where is the responsibility?

Every intelligent man in the county knows that the Recorder's court has original jurisdiction of all offences under a felony; and every intelligent man also knows that the violators of the prohibition law receive punishment in the Recorder's court. Choice of penalty is in the discretion of the Recorder, and it is notorious that he exercises his discretion in favor of fines, which operate as license, in preferance to road sentences which would punish the offender and restrain others from breaking the law.

The blind tiger is not the only evil in this community but the unrestrained and virtual encouragement of this unlawful traffic, through the license system of the Recorder's court, is the mother of kindred evils which are fast infecting the morals and physical well-being of the community; and as respects the punishment of these kindred evils, the Recorder's court is no more efficient than in blind tiger offences. In proof of this, witness the sentence imposed yesterday by the Superior Court on the criminal who had been convicted in the Recorder's court; for the combined offences the Recorder sentenced the criminal to the roads for 15 months. Judge Carter for the same offences sentenced him to the roads for three years. The difference is this: one is a license, the other a punishment.

We may not cure all evils at once, or be able to cure any one evil completely, but the very existence of a civilized community depends upon controlling evils which, unrestrained, first weaken and then destroy the social soundness of the people; and courts are especially designed to protect society against these mortal evils. We are not prepared to accept the theory that civilized government is a failure; but theory to the contrary, incompetent courts translate into actual fact what speculatively we deny. The ability to maintain law is the measure of punishment; when an officer of the law deliberately and advisedly imposes penalty, not to protect the integrity of the law, but to license its violation, he is himself guilty of infraction of the law, and is more culpable than the defendant before the court.

Law is the bond of social compact; its essential element is the protection of the weak from the aggressions of the strong; the innocent from the temptations of the vicious. Obviously, law is made to be obeyed, and courts instituted for its enforcement. The integrity of the law and the stability of society are largely in the keeping of the court, and there can be no greater offence against both than for a judge to condone crime by imposing nominal and trifling penalties for violations.

How long will the people continue to endure the miscarriage of justice?

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Mrs. Frank Pearson will sing two songs tonight at Lumina during the intermissions between dances. Her songs will be "Good Night, Dear," and "Arab Love Song."

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Educational, as well as interesting—that describes many of the films at the Grand Theatre nowadays. The management is always careful to see that each picture contains nothing but something to elevate, not to destroy. Especially has this been so since the Grand has become a five-cent theatre and numbers its patrons largely among the younger people.

Today a feature will be "The Workman's Lesson." This story bears out the old saying that it is hard to teach an old dog new tricks, although in the end it does teach an old German the value of caution. Thousands of lives and limbs could be saved by the intelligent use of safety appliances in manufacturing plants and it is to help along the good work that this film has been made.

Another feature for today is a Lubin, "What The Driver Saw." A cab takes May Roberts and Harry Nugent to the theatre and the driver is instructed to call for them after the show. Between the trips the cab is called by another man to take him also to the Roberts residence. There is a deep plot to force May to marry a bogus lord, but what the driver saw prevents this and May and Harry are happily married while the mother faints away. It is a pretty little love story, full of adventure and thrilling situations.

In addition to this film there is still a third and it hardly seems necessary to speak of the always delightful music by the orchestra and the cooling breezes of many electric fans that always contribute greatly to the comfort of every patron of this premier theatre.

At The Bijou

Today is going to be another big one for unadulterated joy at the new Bijou, where one can revel in the comforts of cool breezes and take healthful air into the lungs, due to the perfect ventilation system, on the hottest day. One of those bills that will stir the heart one second and the next make it dance with delight is going to be offered and, of course, the people will jam the theatre, as usual. A film that deals with one of the questions of the hour—the suffragette problem—will be presented. This film, entitled "The Girl and the Mayor," deals with the question in all seriousness, and it tells a beautiful tale, which will be appreciated. And, by the way, it is Cines' masterpiece, so pronounced by the National Board of Censors, that passed on the film.

"The Wax Model" is a big Eclipse star for today, and it will tell a story of the stage in most novel manner. This fascinating theme is treated in new way and will appeal to every one.

And among the other film stars will be a swell educational photoplay, one that will furnish an abundance of information, as well as supplying a vast amount of entertainment. It is called "Scenes in Somerset." It is a beautiful travel, showing scenes along the River Exe; views in and about Bath, a town founded by the Romans, and the ruins of Glastonbury Abbey, which is said to have been built in the year 146 A. D.

So, merely from the above list, it can be quickly seen that today's Bijou bill is going to be one of unsurpassable splendor and will afford a rare treat for all.

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COUNCIL'S REGULAR SESSION

Street Improvement Fund Said to Be Almost Depleted—Statement Asked for by Citizens—Other Matters.

Featured by a request of Mr. R. A. Parsley, a prominent citizen and large tax payer, that the municipality issue a statement showing the exact condition of the city treasury as regards the street improvement fund, so as to either deny or confirm the reports that the city is "broke" when it comes to money for more street improvements, the City Council was in regular monthly session for two hours yesterday morning.

While the Mayor and City Clerk and Treasurer and probably one or two members of Council objected to the use of the word "broke" in referring to the city's financial status, Mr. Parsley was given assurance that the information asked for would be given as soon as possible.

It was stated that this information could not be given yesterday on account of the absence of Councilman P. Q. Moore, in charge of the Department of Streets and Wharves, who is indisposed, owing to the fact that his department is the only one that can give anything like an accurate idea of the amount of unmeasured street improvement work, which is yet to be paid for. The treasury department could only tell the amount that has not yet been paid out. A statement showing this is issued every month.

The discussion brought out the information that the street department had been advised not to give out any further contracts until members of Council can get together in conference or executive session and "take stock" so to speak, this being made necessary on account of the fact that the city has advanced a considerable amount for sidewalks and for the Tidewater Power Company, which pays a portion of the cost of improving the streets on which its tracks are laid. The purpose of the conference, which will probably be held this morning, is to ascertain the amount due for sidewalk improvements and from the Tidewater Power Co., the amount at present in the treasury, the amount that is to be paid out on contracts already let and, then, if there is anything left some decision may be arrived at as to where this will be expended.

Councilman B. C. Moore declared that his Ward, the First, has not received its proper portion of the street improvements and emphasized that he was going to insist upon the improvement of one or two more streets. He said that he disliked to bring up the matter at a meeting at which the Councilman in charge of that Department was absent, but that he had asked for certain improvements and had been put off from time to time until finally nearly all the bond money is gone. Mr. Moore said that he knew that the city would soon get back that which it has expended for the street car company and individuals for sidewalk improvement and that he wanted to serve notice that he expected his section of the city to get its share of this money.

Dr. Chas. T. Nesbitt, city superintendent of health, made report of his investigation of the proposed location of the tuberculosis sanitarium to be established by the Red Cross Society between Wright and Meares and Fourth and Fifth streets, objection to the institution having been made by some of the residents of that section of the city. Dr. Nesbit said that he had conferred with members of the Red Cross Society and had advised that they purchase the entire block instead of having only the two lots they now own. Woodus Kellum, Esq., was present in the interest of the petitioners against the erection of the institution at that point, and Rev. Thos. P. Noe was present as a representative of the Red Cross Society. Final consideration was left until the next regular meeting.

Upon motion of Councilman Perdew it was ordered that the bill against Mrs. Thos. Strange for silewalk improvement at No. 423 South Fourth street be revised, so as to deduct 58 cents, there being a dispute in the account of this amount.

Mayor Smith said that he had received three sets of plans for the improvement of the Front street market house and desired Council to say which should be accepted. One was drawn by Mr. Mathers, of the city health department, while the others were submitted by Mr. Henry E. Bonitz and Mr. J. F. Gause, Jr. The plans of Mr. Bonitz call for an expenditure of about $5,000, while those prepared by Mr. Gause are not so elaborate and the work can be done for about $3,000, it is said. It was decided to consider the matter of plans at the conference this morning.

Dr. Nesbitt called the attention of Council that there continues to be an epidemic of mad dogs in Wilmington and that the number of people being bitten by the rabid canine is alarming. He said that a short time before the meeting he received a message from Dr. E. J. Wood to the effect that within the past 24 hours he had received five requests for the Pasteur treatment. Dr. Wood, he said, had urged that some action be taken by the city government to stop the epidemic. The matter was brought to the attention of Council some weeks ago and when an ordinance was about to be passed requiring that all dogs in the city be confined and muzzled for a certain period it was found that all this was provided for and left in the discretion of the Mayor by a previous measure. The impression at that time seemed to be that the Mayor would issue a proclamation in accordance with the provision of the ordinance. However, this was not done. It is entirely with the Mayor as to what shall be done. Mayor Smith asked members of Council for their advice. They declined to advise him, saying it was entirely with him. Mayor Smith then remarked that he did not see the necessity for penning up and muzzling the dogs this hot weather. Dr. Nesbitt then emphasized the importance of prompt action, pointing out that the Pasteur treatment cost from $75 to $85 for each patient; that the treatment is painful and sometimes produces bad after-effects. The matter was then passed over.

A communication was received from Mr. Thos. H. Wright with reference to the improvement of Macomber's ditch. Mr. Wright proposed that as an experiment that a concrete culvert be built on 14th street, from Market to Princess. He had had Mr. Herring, the concrete manufacturer, figuring on the proposition and said that if the concrete proved satisfactory it would be a cheap and effective way of improving the ditch. The one block would cost about $1,000, Mr. Wright said, and he was willing to pay half of the expense.

SIX-STORY APARTMENT HOUSE

Hamilton Trust Company to Erect $100,000 Building on Grafflin Property at Third and Walnut Streets—Details.

Final papers were passed yesterday afternoon in the deal whereby Mr. J. M. Solky transfers to the Hamilton Trust Company, Mr. A. O. Schuster president, the lot on the southeast corner of Third and Walnut streets, for a consideration of about $15,000. The transaction was engineered by Mr. Jos. J. Loughlin of the A. W. Pate real estate agency, as was announced in The Star some time ago.

The Hamilton Trust Company was recently organized for the purpose of erecting an apartment house on the lot on Third and Walnut streets, known as the Grafflin property. The deal for this lot was made some weeks ago, though the papers were not transferred until yesterday afternoon. Mr. Schuster is president of the company, Mr. V. Sidbury, vice president, and Dr. J. W. Powell secretary and treasurer. There are a number of other well known business men connected with the company.

Mr. Schuster stated last evening that the company does not get possession of the property until October 1st, but that the present building would be torn down immediately after possession is secured and that as soon as possible thereafter work on the apartment house will begin.

While plans have not yet been prepared, it is the purpose of the company to erect an apartment house of six stories heighth, strictly modern in every particular, and with all modern conveniences. It is understood that the company contemplates spending about $100,000 on the apartment house and it will be one of the handsomest buildings of its kind in the State.

The officers of the company feel that they have secured an ideal location for the building, which, while in a quiet residential district, will still be in convenient reach of the business section. The apartment will be another building of notable proportions going up in the northern end of the city, and with the new union passenger station and office building, now under course of construction, and the new Einstein Bros. store building and Bear Bros. store building, both of which, it is expected, will be erected in the near future, will add much to the appearance of that rapidly developing section.

MODERN TELEGRAPH OFFICE.

Western Union Has Spent About $4,000 in Improvements.

The Western Union Telegraph Company is completing improvements and additions to its local office here which represent in all an expenditure of about $4,000 and give the company one of the most handsome and modernly fitted telegraph offices in the State.

New quartered oak furniture has been installed throughout, including quartered oak counters and desks covered with plate glass tops in the front of the building for the use of customers, as well as handsome quartered oak decks which are especially designed for the use of telegraph operators. These desks are designed with the idea of furnishing the most efficient working arrangement, as well as looking to the operators' comfort. They are fitted with compartments for the typewriters used, which are furnished by the company now, instead of by the operators as heretofore.

In addition a lineman's storeroom has been fitted up in the back of the building, as well as locker rooms for the operators, clerks and messenger boys, as well as separate sanitary toilet rooms.

A new mercurial arch has been installed for charging the batteries and a large filing system is being put in sufficient to keep a duplicate copy of all telegrams received in a year. There are also large compartments for keeping the stock of telegraph blanks, etc. The walls and ceiling have been repainted.

In keeping with the progressive policy of the Western Union a large desk has been fitted up in the rear of the room where all the employes of the telegraph company who desire to learn telegraphy are given lessons three times a week. The company believes in encouraging all who wish to learn the business and the lessons are given free.

Manager G. E. Wood, of the local branch of the Western Union, has every reason to feel proud of his office as it is now fitted up.

LOOK FOR THE LABEL

Manufacturers of Globe Bread Will Protect the Public

Elsewhere in today's paper the Globe Baking Company give notice that hereafter all its bread will bear the label of the manufacturers and there need be no excuse for anybody's not getting Globe bread. They have a product upon which they do not hesitate to place their name, neither do they hesitate to advertise it as a standard product. They want the public to know when it's Globe bread they are getting and that is the greatest guarantee of quality and quantity. When a manufacturer does not hesitate to place his label on his product and does not hesitate to advertise to the public his product as such, the consumer cannot go far wrong in calling for that product.

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BEATTY GETS TWO YEARS

Negro Who Shot Officer R. J. Thompson Sentenced to Long Term on Roads—Waived Examination in Burglary Case.

James H. Beatty, colored, the negro who shot and seriously wounded Mounted Officer R. J. Thompson several months ago, was found guilty in the Recorder's court yesterday morning on a charge of an assault with a deadly weapon with serious injury and was sentenced to two years on the county roads. On a charge of burglary in entering the home of Maggie Moore, colored, the negro waived examination and was sent over to the Superior Court without bond.

The testimony against Beatty was practically as was given in The Star at the time of the shooting. Beatty and another negro had entered the home of Maggie Moore, colored, and had threatened to shoot her if she made a noise. The woman screamed, however, and Beatty fired at her. The shot did not take effect.

Officers R. J. Thompson and S. H. Fulford, who were in the neighborhood, had heard the disturbance and had started toward the house, Mr. Thompson going toward the front and Mr. Fulford the back. Just as Mr. Thompson came up Beatty dashed out of the house. The officer pursued him, the men exchangng several shots. One of the shots struck Mr. Thompson in the breast and he fell, the negro disappearing. It developed afterwards that one of the officer's bullets hit the negro in the leg.

The wounded officer was carried to the James Walker Memorial Hospital and recovered in the course of several weeks. Beatty was captured the same morning at Hilton as he was attempting to board an outgoing train. He resisted arrest and forced Patrolman Chas. Wood to shit him in order to subdue him. The wound was not serious, however, neither was the wound made by Officer Thompson's revolver, and the negro soon recovered. He has been in jail since that time.

Messrs. J. P. Quelch and Wm. Wright were charged with violating the driving ordinances. Both cases were nol prossed. Judgment was suspended on Mr. Claude Brock, charged with exceeding the speed limit on a motor cycle, on payment of costs.

RED MEN'S EXCURSION.

Large Crowds Visited Carolina Beach Yesterday—Features.

Marked by many unique features of entertainment, the annual excursion of Eyota Tribe, Red Men, to Carolina Beach yesterday was one of the largest attended and most enjoyable of the many similar outings this season. Three boats were operated, morning afternoon and evening, and large crowds went down on each. The last boat returned to the city shortly before midnight.

One novel feature of entertainment was the marriage of Red Fox and Little Moon, the ceremony being performed by White Horse, the prophet. The wedding was attended by the Indian braves in the war paint and feathers and the scene was truly a typical one of the days of the Red Men. There were also several contests to hold the attention of the excursionists, as well as music and dancing during the afternoon and evening. Everyone had a most delightful time.

MARRIED LAST EVENING.

Miss Nellie Rising the Bride of Mr. Jas. H. Taylor.

At the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. E. S. Piver, No. 719 Surry street, last evening at 9 o'clock, Mr. Jas. Henry Taylor and Miss Nellie A. Rising were very happily married, Rev. Thos. P. Noe, rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd, performing the ceremony.

Quite a number of friends and relatives were present. Mr. Eddie Boswell was best man and Miss Edna Lindquist maid of honor. Following the ceremony a reception was given in honor of the bride and groom, and delicious refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor will make their home for the present at No. 719 Surry street. Both have many friends who will wish for them a very happy married life.

Real Estate Transfers.

Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: W. M. Cumming and wife to Robert McLoughlin, for $350, and other considerations, lot on Wooster, 150 feet east of Ninth street, 22 1-2 x110 feet in size; F. A. Bissinger and wife to H. deW. Rapalje, for $100 and other considerations, lot 22 in Block "E", Seabreeze Park; Samuel Seigler, Jr., trustee, to J. A. McGeachy, for $1,500 and other considerations, lot on southwest corner of Eighth and Meares streets.

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Tea Biscuit
Dry, Buttered or Milk Toast
Griddle Cakes With Corn Syrup
Chilled Watermelon
Vanilla Ice Cream Assorted Cake
American Cheese Crackers
Coffee Iced Tea

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CAPITAL CASES FOR TODAY

Minor Matters Disposed of at Yesterday's Session of Superior Court—Rumors of Grand Jury Sensations

Yesterday's session of Superior Court, Judge Frank Carter, of Asheville, presiding, cleared away the remaining lesser cases on the docket and there now remain only nine capithe case against Philister King, charg- burglary and one arson. Solicitor Shaw stated yesterday afternoon that the case against Philister Ging, charged with murder, would probably be the first taken up this morning.

The arguments in the case against George Watson, a negro boy, charged with storebreaking, in which the evidence was taken at Tuesday's session, were heard yesterday morning and the case then went to the jury. After being out some time the jury returned a verdict of guilty. Judge Carter did not pronounce sentence yesterday, as he desires to ascertain the boy's age. Weston told the court that he was 13 years of age and his father corroborated him in this, but he looks to be several years older and the court withheld passing sentence until the facts can be learned.

The negro was convicted of entering the store of Miss Ellen Sheehan one Sunday morning while Miss Sheehan was at church.

Ed Austin, colored, was tried on a charge of the larceny of a sum of about $70 from the safe of the Orrell Livery Company, where he was employed. The jury returned a verdict of guilty and Austin was sentenced to 18 months on the county roads. Judge Carter stated that he made the sentence lighter than he would have done had not all the evidence pointed to the fact that the negro's character had always been regarded as good, and this was his first offense.

Emanuel Moseley, colored, was tried on a charge of the larceny of several bags of oats, the property of the City Laundry. The jury returned a verdict of not guilty as to larceny, but guilty of receiving stolen goods knowing them to have been stolen. Moseley contended that he purchased the goods from Frank Bass, colored, who was sent to the county roads from the Recorder's court in connection with the same larceny. Bass was brought into court and testified that he stole the goods and sold them to Moseley. Judgment was not pronounced upon the negro yesterday.

A verdict of guilty was brought in in the case against Jerry New, colored, charged with the robbery from the person of $1.50 from Melvina Burnett, colored. The woman testified that New threatened her with a knife and forced her to give him the money. Judgment was not pronounced.

Grace Brinkley, colored, was found not guilty on a charge of larceny and Thos. Donaldson, colored, entered a submission to a charge of forcible trespass. Judgment was withheld. Henry Brown, colored, charged with an assault on a female, was found not guilty.

Court took a recess at 5:30 o'clock to convene this morning at 9 o'clock, instead of 9:30, as heretofore. As stated, Solicitor Henry E. Shaw said last evening that the case against Philister King would probably be taken up the first thing this morning. King is charged with the murder of Abraham Foard, colored, it being alleged that he hit Foard over the head with a slab of wood, and that Foard died from the effects of the blow a week or so later. Mr. Shaw stated that he would not ask for a verdict of first degree murder, but for second degree or manslaughter.

The grand jury was still in session yesterday afternoon when court took a recess. No record of any bills returned during the day appeared on the clerk's books, but there were rumors around the court room that a number of bills had been returned and that they would not appear on the records until the warrants had been served. It was whispered that sensations of some kind were forthcoming in short order.

In the report of the Superior Court proceedings in yesterday's paper, it was erroneously stated that Marion Green, who was sentenced in the higher tribunal to three years on the county roads, had appealed from a sentence of three months in the Recorder's court. Green's total sentence in the Recorder's court was one year and three months. It was also stated that James Mack, colored, was found not guilty on a charge of an assault and battery, and had appealed from a sentence in the Recorder's court. The appeal was from a fine of $25 and costs in Justice Harriss' court.

Covered Officers With Gun

Oscar Edwards, a white man, was arrested last night at 10 o'clock by Patrolman J. J. Moore on a charge of an assault with a deadly weapon. It was stated at the police station that Officers Weeks and Smith heard a disturbance at Edward's home, on Front and Dock streets, and went in to investigate. They found the man with a shotgun in his hands. He covered them with the gun and forbade them coming into the house. The officers reported the matter to headquarters and Mr. Moore, who was acquainted with Edwards, went to his house. Edwards gave himself up to Mr. Moore peaceably. He is said to have been drinking.

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When one of the leading druggists in Wilmington tells you that they have a preparation which they so thoroughly believe in that they will refund your money if it does not do all that is claimed for it, it shows that the article must have unusual merits. It is this way that the J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co., is selling Samose, the remarkable flesh-forming food.

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will rent a Safe Deposit Box in our modern steel-lined, fireproof and burglarproof vault. Larger boxes at increased rental.

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We invite an inspection of our vault and equipment.

The Wilmington Savings & Trust Co.

PRINCESS STREET——Between Front and Second.

MEETING OF $100,000 CLUB

Agents of the Security Life & Annuity Company, of Greensboro, Gather at Seashore Hotel for Annual Outing.

The third annual meeting of the Hundred Thousand Dollar Club of the Security Life & Annuity Company, of Greensboro, composed of agents of the company from several States, will be held at the Seashore Hotel, Wrightsville Beach, today, tomorrow and Saturday.

The convention will be attended by 20 or more agents of the company. Several arrived yesterday and last night and others will come in on the trains today. Each of the three conventions of the club has been held at Wrightsville Beach and the agents seem to be opposed to holding their annual meetings elsewhere, so well pleased are they with the resort and the popular hotel.

Mr. Geo. A. Grimsley, secretary of the company, arrived yesterday morning and went direct to the Seashore Hotel. Mr. C. C. Taylor, manager of agents, and several agents arrived last night. In the party were Mr. Taylor and Mr. W. S. Jones, of Greensboro; Mr. John L. Wimbish, Winston-Salem, and Mr. Peter P. Yates, of Asheville. They arrived on the belated A. & Y. train. Dr. J. P. Turner, medical examiner of the company, is expected to arrive from Greensboro this morning. The opening session will be held at 3 o'clock this afternoon and will be featured by an address by Dr. Turner. There will be no session tonight.

The convention will meet at 10 o'clock Friday morning. The programme will be as follows: Roll call, address by the president; address by Mr. G. A. Grimsley, secretary; short talks by agents.

The afternoon session convenes at 3 o'clock and the programme will be featured by two addresses as follows: Mr. W. B. Upshur, general agent, on "Agents and the Company's Treatment of Them"; Mr. C. C. Taylor, manager of agents, on "Agency Organization."

Saturday morning's session will convene at 9:30 o'clock and after the roll call short talks will be made by Messrs. J. L. Wimbish, W. D. Frierson, G. H. Lenoir, S. W. Turner, J. B. Cummings, B. A. Kluttz, E. G. Hill, C. H. Taylor and others.

Tom C. Hege Will Return

The Star yesterday received a card from Tom C. Hege, postmarked Rocky Mount, N. C., reading as follows: "Dear Editor:—Market street will again hear my little red organ and Gospel songs and all who choose can get some of my latest Bible leaflets Sunday, late in the evening, say from 4 to 6:30. I will be at the beach holding meetings from 11 to 4 P. M. Solemnly, Tom C. Hege."

Left Property to Wilmingtonian

Mr. Willis Coleman, of No. 1506 North Fourth street, who holds a position with Farley & Co., was notified a few days ago of the death in Jacksonville, Fla., of Miss Dora Cowart, an intimate friend, and that she had left him her bank account amounting to $2,000; insurance in the sum of $1,500 and household furniture amounting to about $500. Miss Cowart was proprietor of a hotel in Jacksonville at the time of her death. Mr. Coleman has been advised by his attorney that the money will be ready to be turned over to him in a short time. He and Miss Cowart were very close friends, and he will erect at once a handsome monument to her memory.

Mrs. William Morrell Dead

Many Wilmington friends learned with deep regret yesterday of the death of Mrs. William Morrell, of Savannah, Ga., who passed away at Johns Hopkins, Baltimore, where she had been under treatment. Before her marriage Mrs. Morrell was Miss Kate Drane, a daughter of the late Col. Henry Drane, of Armour, and a granddaughter of Rev. Dr. Henry Drane, of this city. She had many friends here to whom the announcement of her death came as a severe shock.

Special Tonight at Lumina.

Mrs. Frank Pearson will sing two songs tonight at Lumina during the intermissions between dances. Her songs will be "Good Night, Dear," and "Arab Love Song." **

SPECIAL ATTRACTION
At Lumina Tonight

Mrs. Frank Pearson will sing two songs at Lumina tonight during intermissions between dances.

——PROGRAM——

"Good Night, Dear,"—
(Billy Burke's Great Success.)

"Arab Love Song"—
(The song with which Marie Cahill made her great hit.)

Mrs. Pearson will also sing at both concerts next Sunday

The Orchestra at Lumina will be increased to 18 pieces for the Night Concert Next Sunday.

SOCIAL & PERSONAL

Messrs. Chas. J. Mitchell and Geo. L. Mitchell went up to Atkinson, N. C., where they will be members of a house party for a short time.

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Yesterday's Raleigh News and Observer: "Mrs. Albert Stockard, of Wilmington, is visiting Mrs. H. J. Stockard, on Boundary street."

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Mrs. G. A. Klein and sister, Mrs. B. S. Montford, left yesterday morning for Asheville and other points of interest in the western part of the State.

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Mr. E. N. Matthews and bride, formerly Miss Nettie Oliver, of Sumter, S. C., have arrived to spend some time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Johnson, 903 North Fourth street. Mr. and Mrs. Matthews were married in Sumter about a week ago.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Laurence Sprunt arrived in the city yesterday from their bridal tour and have gone to Wrightsville Beach, where they are being warmly welcomed by the groom's many friends. They will make this city their home.

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Secretary J. B. Huntington, of the local Y. M. C. A., has returned from Black Mountain, where he attended the Summer School of the Southern Y. M. C. A. Mrs. Huntington will spend the remainder o fthe Summer with relatives in Asheville.

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A telegram was received from Dr. J. H. Foster, pastor of the First Baptist church, Tuesday afternoon announcing the safe arrival in New York of himself and party of Wilmingtonians, who will spend a few days in sight-seeing in the metropolis. The party expects to return next Monday.

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The Ladies' Aid Society of Bladen Street Methodist church will conduct a moonlight excursion on the steamer Wilmington tonight. The boat will leave her wharf at 8 o'clock and will return about 11 o'clock. Refreshments will be served on the boat. The fare for the round trip will be 25 cents.

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The Junior League of the Fifth Street Methodist church will conduct a river excursion on the steamer Wilmington to Southport today, the boat making two trips, leaving the city at 9 A. M. and 2:30 P. M. The excursion will afford parents and friends an excellent opportunity to visit the encampment of the Boys' Brigade at Southport. Fare for the round trip is 50 cents.

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The Girls Friendly Society, of the Church of the Good Shepherd, will run a moonlight excursion on the steamer Wilmington tomorrow night, which promises to be largely attended, especially if the heated spell holds out. The boat will leave Princess street dock at 8 o'clock, returning about 10:30, after a two and a half hour trip up and down the river. Excellent music will be furnished on the boat and refershments will be served. Everyone is cordially invited to go and are assured a pleasant evening.

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Clarkton, N. C., July 24.—The Misses Ward delightfully entertained at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ward, on last Friday evening, in honor of their guests, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Ward, of Nashville, Ga. Quite a number of young folks were present to enjoy the pleasure of the evening. The house was decorated for the occasion with potted plants and cut flowers. The guests were received at the door and ushered in the parlor where they met the guest of honor. Then the merriment began. The music for the evening was grand, being furnished by Messrs. McEwen, Briels, McKee and Miller. This was one of the most enjoyable features of the evening. At 10:30 the guests were invited out to the yard under the beautiful grove, where delicious refreshments were served, after which many amusing games were played. At a late hour the guests reluctantly departed, after thanking their hostess for an enjoyable evening.

MISS MARIA LOVE DEAD.

Passed Away Yesterday Morning—Funeral Services Today.

Miss Maria Love, of this city, passed away at an early hour yesterday morning at the Catherine Kennedy Home, following a long period of declining health. Miss Love had been an inmate of the home for three or four years. The deceased lady was about 60 years of age and is survived by one brother, Dr. William Love, of New York; also a half sister, Miss Eliza Love, and a half brother, Mr. T. D. Love, both of this city, as well as a large number of other more distant relatives. All will have the sympathy of many friends in the hour of the bereavement.

The funeral will be held this morning at 10 o'clock from the Catherine Kennedy Home.

LOCAL DOTS.

—D. K. West, signing himself "The Cotton King of the South," and writing from Jessie, N. C., says: "Cotton crops in Cumberland county is at least short one-fourth compared to the crop of 1911. I advise the farmers to hold this crop for 15 cents. It will bring it before Christmas."

—It was stated in The Star yesterday morning in the report of the search made of several suspected "blind tigers" that Mr. H. E. Truelove told the officers that he was not the owner of a place formerly conducted by him on North Front street, but that he was merely a clerk there. Mr. Truelove said yesterday that he did not state that he was clerk, but on the other hand said he had no connection whatever with the business at present, as he had disposed of his interest to J. S. Sellers.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Dr. Russell Bellamy visited Whiteville yesterday morning, being called there to see a patient.

—Among the arrivals at the Colonial Hotel yesterday were H. L. Dozier, Mrs. L. B. Dozier, Miss Virginia Dozier, Columbia; Miss Jessie Foy, Scott's Hill; D. L. Blue, Elkton; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Patterson, Frank Patterson, Miss Mary Patterson, Greensboro; Geo. Gardener, Dunn; J. P. Mallotte, Tarboro.

—Among the arrivals yesterday at The Southern were Miss Clara Harmon, High Point; Joseph Craig, Savannah; D. L. Craig, Jacgsonville, Fla.; Frank Burch, Montgomery, Ala.; J. F. Holland and J. N. Jean, Waycross, Ga.; E. B. Randall, Sanford, Fla.; C. L. Sykes, H. L. Moore, E. M. Turner, Rocky Mount; R. L. Proctor, Atlanta; J. V. Ramos, Rocky Mount.

Baltimore, July 24.—The bug-eye C. W. Steward, of Nanticoke, Maryland, sunk early today following a collision with the Chesapeake line steamer City of Norfolk. Alexander Horsman, mate of the Steward, was drowned. The collision followed an attempt of the captain of the bug-eye to cross the bow of the steamship. The steamer was undamaged.

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is too important a matter for a woman to be handicapped by weakness, bad blood or foul breath. Avoid these killhopes by taking Dr. King's Life Pills. New strength, fine complexion, pure breath, cheerful spirits—things that win men follow their use. Easy, safe, sure. 25c. R. R. Bellamy.

WRIGHTSVILLE BEACH

Col. S. B. Taylor, of Catherine Lake, N. C., arrived yesterday to spend a week or more at the Hanover Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. Tyree and Miss Farrish, of Winston-Salem, have arrived to spend several weeks in Mrs. William Parsley's cottage.

The regular mid-week dance at Lumina last evening was well attended by young people from the city as well as by visitors at the beach.

Miss Jette Lanier, one of the most attractive visitors to Wrightsville Beach this season, who has spend several weeks at the Seashore Hotel, left yesterday afternoon for her home at West Point, Ga.

Mr. J. T. Glover, of Atlanta, and a party of about 60 guests of the Oceanic Hotel will go outside on a fishing trip this morning, leaving the hotel between 6 and 7 o'clock. Tmey will use two sailing boats.

Dr. Calvin H. Grainger, of Winston-Salem, arrived last night to spend several days at the Seashore Hotel. He is one of the best known osteopathist in North Carolina and has a number of friends in Wilmington by whom he has been most pleasantly greeted.

Mrs. W. C. Jarnigan, of Atlanta, gave a most enjoyable pier party to a large number of children at the Seashore Hotel and Wrightsville Beach Tuesday night. The event was given in the handsome pier of the Seashore Hotel and was one of the most enjoyable affairs of the season.

Dr. W. C. Jarnigan and Mr. C. T. Nunnally, of Atlanta, and party went out from the Seashore Hotel yesterday morning on what proved a most successful fishing trip. They caught 175 blue fish weighing on an average of a pound apiece, besides a number of other kinds of fish.

The agents of the Jefferson Standard, of Raleigh, will hold their annual meeting at The Seashore Hotel the first week in August. There will be 20 or more agents in attendance. Mr. P. D. Gold, Jr., of Raleigh, an officer of the company, was at the beach a few days ago and made arrangements with Capt. Edgar L. Hinton, of the Seashore, for the meeting.

Mrs. W. J. Chapman and daughter, Miss Marjorie Chapman, and Miss Allen, of Spartanburg, S. C., returned to their homes Tuesday. Friends at the beach and in Wilmington and Miss Chapman have been interested in the announcement of her engagement to Mr. David Currie, of Fayetteville, who is also well known in Wilmington. The wedding is to take place in the Fall and they will reside in Fayetteville.

Yesterday's arrivals at the Oceanic Hotel were as follows: Mrs. S. M. Burdett, Eufaula, Ala.; Geo. M. Mathis, Clinton, N. C.; S. W. Westbrook, Augusta, Ga.; A. C. Lloyd, Salisbury; Miss Lillian Donnally, New York; Miss Lassie Randall, Asheville; A. L. Winn and L. H. Beck, Atlanta; J. H. Moye, Blakely, Ga.; G. V. Harper, Charlotte; Miss Marie McEachern, Jacksonville.

The weekly children's souvenir dance at the Oceanic Hotel yesterday morning was largely attended and the little folks had a most enjoyable time. The dances are becoming more popular each week and are attended by children from the different hotels and cottages at the resort. There were 150 in attendance yesterday. Every morning except Wednesday a dance is given for the young people from 10 to 12 o'clock and they have also proven very popular.

The following general agents of Swift Fertilizer Works arrived at Wrightsville Beach yesterday to spend 15 days or longer as guests at the Hanover Inn: W. T. Stout, Chicago; O. E. Burton, Atlanta; J. J. Epsen, New Orleans; H. A. Rogers, Atlanta; W. M. Wever, Savannah; J. E. Davis, Atlanta; T. J. Ellis, Savannah; C. M. Hobson, Baltimore; J. L. Mallard, Cleveland, O. They are most comfortably quartered at this popular hotel and have already become very much attached to Wrightsville Beach.

Mr. Harry T. Atchison, business manager of the Winston-Salem Journal, Winston-Salem, arrived last night to spend several days at the Oceanic Hotel. He is accompanied by Mrs. Atchison and little daughter, Mildred. Mr. Atchison is one of the best newspaper men in North Carolina and under his management the Journal has made better progress than ever before in its history and he says the future of the paper is indeed bright. He will be most heartily greeted by members of the craft in Wilmington.

After spending the night off Wrightsville Beach, the revenue cutter Seminole steamed yesterday morning to Beaufort, where it is understood she will take the North Carolina Press Association out for a trip. Mr. Chas. H. Evans, president of the Southern National Bank, accompanied Capt. Berry, commander of the cutter, to Beaufort. A wireless message received from sea via Beaufort by Mr. Jesse N. Couch, manager of the Oceanic Hotel, yesterday afternoon, conveyed the information that the cutter arrived at its destination.

Capt. Edgar L. Hinton, manager of the Seashore Hotel, said yesterday that he had twice as many reservations for August as he had for the same month last year, which is an indication that the hotel will be crowded all during the month. There is a probability that the season will be extended several weeks longer than usual this year. Mr. Jesse N. Couch, manager of the Oceanic, stated that he had a large number of reservations for the month of August, probably a much larger number than for the same month last year. Both hotels are well filled with guests now and the managers expect them to be crowded until the close of the season.

Mrs. Frank Pearson in a song programme of two numbers is an additional attraction offered at Lumina tonight. Mrs. Pearson will make her appearance at Lumina about 9:30 P. M., and will sing during the intermissions between the dances. Judging by the large crowd that her singing attracted to last Sunday's concerts, the crowd at Lumina tonight will be an unusually large one for the middle of the week. The appearance of Mrs. Pearson at Lumina during the week will afford opportunity to many of hearing this talented singer who cannot attend the Sunday concerts. The songs that Mrs. Pearson will sing tonight are Anderson's "Good Night, Dear," Billy Burke's great hit; and the "Arab Love Song," which was sung so successfully by Marie Cahill.

At the Seashore Hotel yesterday the arrivals included the following: Ward R. Howard, Chicago, Ill.; Chas. A. Thompson, Goldsboro; F. S. Westbrook, Raleigh; Mrs. L. J. Ingram, Wadesboro; Mrs. John M. Crook and Miss Crook, Columbia, S. C.; G. R. Thagard and family and D. B. Lancaster and family, St. Paul; Mrs. Fletcher and son, McColl, S. C.; Mrs. Lillian Miller, Lancaster, S. C.; Mrs. J. W. Thompson and daughter, Miss Isadore Kinsman, Hamlet; Miss Ruth Ballinger, McCormick, S. C.; R. E. Morgan, Hamlet; J. M. Royal, Richmond, Va.; D. G. Robinson, Red Springs; H. Lawrence and L. Gifforce, Jacksonville; Capt. F. F. Packer, Jersey City; W. L. and W. H. Hotcher, Augusta, Ga.; Lee Wilson, Cincinnati, Ohio; J. F. Cobb, Nashville, Tenn.; P. S. Spong, Charlotte; Chas. Schooler, New York.

Next Sunday's concerts at Lumina will probably surpass any of the many fine musical entertainments ever presented at Lumina. Mrs. Pearson, who will sing at both afternoon and night concerts will, of course, be the leading attraction. But besides this an additional attraction will be provided for the concert at night by way of an enlarged orchestra. At the night concert the orchestra will be increased to 18 pieces. This will be the largest orchestra that has ever played at Lumina. The extra instrumentation to be added are three violins, one 'cello, one base and one clarinet. An excellent programme of pieces suitable for the new instrumentation has been prepared. Prof. John F. Kneisel has been highly complimented by a number of visitors at the beach on the excellent concerts given by the Lumina orchestra under his leadership. Visitors at the beach are of the opinion that few resorts in this country can boast of having concerts of as high an order as those that are provided by the Lumina orchestra.

FELDER RENEWS CHARGES

Ignores Statement of Blease—Many Dictagraphed, He Says

Atlanta, Ga., July 24.—Attorney Thomas B. Felder, of this city, has decided that he will ignore the recent charges made against him by Governor Cole L. Blease, of South Carolina, in connection with Felder's recent testimony against Blease before the legislative committee, alleging corrupt acts on the part of the executive.

In a statement issued, the Atlanta attorney who was instrumental in clearing up graft in the old dispensary system of South Carolina, discusses the personnel of the witnesses who appeared on behalf of the Governor.

He declares that in addition to these witnesses, many others have been dictagraphed in Charleston and elsewhere in the State. Their names have been furnished to the committee, he says, but the individuals have absented themselves from the State and "they probably will find it convenient to remain beyond the borders until after the primary election in August."

DIED.

LOVE—On the morning of the 24th of July, 1912, MISS MARIA T. LOVE.

Funeral from the Catherine Kennedy Home, this (Thursday) morning, at 10 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances respectfully invited to attend.

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Financial and Commercial

COTTON GOES EVEN HIGHER

New High Records for the Season—Bullish Crop Conditions Expected Within Next Few Days. Selling Active.

New York, July 24.—Today's cotton market was decidedly more active and prices made new high records for the season on more or less general buying, attributed to expectations of bullish crop condition reports during the next few days. The close was firm and from 21 to 26 points net higher.

The opening was steady, at an advance of 2 to 6 points, in response to steady Liverpool cables. Trading was not particularly active at first, but prices continued to advance and buying became more general as the market worked higher.

Rumors that preliminary returns to the National Ginners' Association indicated that the condition of the crop had deteriorated between 3 and 4 per cent. for the month were accompanied by buying orders from Memphis and New Orleans, and there was also heavy buying by a prominent Wall Street house which is to issue a private condition report at noon tomorrow. The buying and rumors of bullish private condition figures seemed to strengthen expectations of a bullish government bureau a week from tomorrow and it was rumored around the ring that some of the old bulls who had sold out their long cotton and had been waiting for a reaction on which to rebuy were coming back into the market on the advance. Realizing was heavy enough to check the upward movement when prices had worked up to about the high records of last week, but only slight reactions occurred from the best, and another spurt of buying orders sent October and December contracts up to 12.08 late in the afternoon, or about 28 points net higher. July sold 31 points above the closing price of yesterday on covering by scattering shorts. The close was five or six points off from the best, under realizing. Liverpool credited the advance there to a continued good spot demand and rade buying, and it was reported that large Southern trade interests were buyers of local contracts during the day. Weather conditions were said to be favorable in the Eastern belt, but return of dry, warm weather in the Southwest was one of the bullish factors on the advance.

Receipts, 1,390 bales, against 1,351 last week and 912 last year. Today's receipts at Galveston, 262 bales, against 124 last year; at New Orleans, 601, against 606 last year, and at Houston, 128, against 499 last year.

Spot, quiet, 20 points higher; middling uplands, 13.00; do. gulf, 13.25; sales, 1,100 bales.

Futures closed firm.

Month:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Jan	12.42	12.66	12.42	12.62
Feb				12.64
Mar	12.51	12.76	12.51	12.73
May	12.60	12.81	12.62	12.82
June	12.63			12.65
July	12.23	12.51	12.26	12.47
Aug	12.21	12.47	12.21	12.46
Sept	12.30	12.55	12.30	12.53
Oct	12.42	12.68	12.42	12.64
Nov	12.44			12.60
Dec	12.44	12.68	12.44	12.64

PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Firm, 13; net receipts, 262; gross receipts, 262; sales, 486; stock, 27,003.

New Orleans—Quiet, 13¼; net receipts, 601; gross receipts, 649; sales, 53; stock, 33,815; Great Britain, 700; France, 58; continent, 700.

Mobile—Net receipts, 52; gross receipts, 52; stock, 1,107; coastwise, 48.

Savannah—Steady, 12¾; net receipts, 127; gross receipts, 127; sales, 47; stock, 24,212; coastwise, 353.

Charleston—Nominal; stock, 5,578; coastwise, 2,008.

Wilmington—Nominal; stock, 317.

Norfolk—Firm, 13¼; net receipts, 238; gross receipts, 238; sales, 218; stock, 20,963; coastwise, 447.

Baltimore—Nominal, 13; gross receipts, 100; stock, 4,764; France, 7.

New York—Quiet, 13; net receipts, 102; gross receipts, 1,013; sales, 1,100; stock, 134,032; continent, 1,412; coastwise, 536.

Boston—Quiet, 13; net receipts, 8; gross receipts, 3,083; stock, 8,944.

Philadelphia—Steady, 13.25; gross receipts, 610; stock, 2,785.

Total today, at all ports—Net, 1,390; Great Britain, 700; France, 65; continent, 2,112; stock, 264,120.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 7,821; Great Britain, 2,589; France, 249; continent, 3,632.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports—Net, 11,837,033; Great Britain, 4,131,113; France, 1,161,533; continent, 4,431,560; Japan, 512,196; Mexico, 8,913.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Steady, 13; net receipts, 128; gross receipts, 128; shipments, 847; sales, 440; stock, 21,638.

Augusta—Steady, 13; net receipts, 46; gross receipts, 155; shipments, 467; sales, 119; stock, 23,827.

Memphis—Steady, 12¾; net receipts, 67; gross receipts, 761; shipments, 1,242; sales, 75; stock, 11,735.

St. Louis—Firm, 12¾; net receipts, 53; gross receipts, 71; shipments, 26; stock, 8,136.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 1,084; gross receipts, 1,084; shipments, 544; sales, 22; stock, 577.

Little Rock—Quiet, 12¾; stock, 7,525.

Total today—Net receipts, 1,378; gross receipts, 2,207; shipments, 3,390; sales, 634; stock, 95,238.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, July 24.—Flattening out of the black rust scare led to a drop today in wheat. The market closed easy, at a net decline of 1 to 1⅝. Corn finished a shade off to half up, and oats ⅛@¼ down to 1c. advance. The outcome for provisions was 2½ to 17½ increase in cost.

Cash grain:

Wheat—No. 2, red, 99@1.00½; No. 2, hard, 97½@99½.

Corn—No. 3, 71½@72; No. 3, yellow, 72@73.

Oats—No. 3, white, 55@57; standard, 55@57½.

Wheat:	Close.
July	97⅞
Sept	93
Dec	95¾
May	99⅜
Corn:	
July	71½
Sept	66⅝
Dec	57½
May	58⅝
Oats:	
July	40½
Sept	30
Dec	35¼
May	37½
Pork:	
July	17.60
Sept	17.77½
Oct	17.85
Jan	18.10
Lard:	
July	10.52½
Sept	10.65
Oct	10.70
Jan	10.22½
Ribs:	
July	10.42½
Sept	10.52½
Oct	10.45

LIVERPOOL COTTON.

Liverpool, July 24.—Spot, good business done; prices, 3 points higher. American middling, 7.97; good middling, 7.57; middling, 7.21; low middling, 6.97; good ordinary, 6.49; ordinary, 6.01.

Sales, 10,000 bales, including 9,500 American. Receipts, 9,000 bales, including 400 American.

Futures opened quiet and closed quiet and steady. July, 6.97½; July and August, 6.96½; August and September, 6.91½; September and October, 6.82; October and November, 6.75¼; November and December, 6.71; December and January and January and February, 6.70; February and March, 6.70½; March and April, 6.71½; April and May, 6.72; May and June, 6.73.

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List of Vessels Now in Port at Wilmington, North Carolina.

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Schr. Stephen G. Loud, 409 tons, Graham, Mafitt & Wood; in distress.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at Port of Wilmington.

Wilmington, N. C., July 24.

Atlantic Coast Line—42 barrels rosin; 16 barrels tar; 12 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Annie B.—6 casks spirits turpentine; 30 barrels rosin.

Str. City of Fayetteville—5 casks spirits turpentine; 12 barrels tar.

Schr. Addie May—20 casks spirits turpentine; 74 barrels rosin.

Str. Whitlock—12 casks spirits turpentine; 15 barrels rosin.

Schr. Isabelle—32 casks spirits turpentine; 16 barrels rosin.

Total today—55 casks spirits turpentine; 177 barrels rosin; 28 barrels tar; 12 barrels

PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, July 24.—Flour, quiet but steady.

Rye Flour—Steady.

Corn Meal—Quiet.

Rye—Quiet.

Eggs—Irregular; unchanged.

Barley—Nominal.

Wheat—Spot, easy. No. 2, red, 1.07¾@1.00¼ to arrive, and export 1.08⅜, f.o.b. afloat to arrive. Futures, 1¼c. net lower. July, 1.07¼; September, 1.00¼; December, 1.02½.

Corn—Spot, firm; export, 81½c. f.o.b. afloat.

Oats—Spot, firm; standard white, No. 2, 61.

Pork—Steady.

Beef—Steady.

Lard—Steady.

Cut Meats—Easy.

Tallow—Easy.

Petroleum—Easy.

Wool—Firm.

Rice—Firm.

Molasses—Steady.

Sugar—Raw, firm; refined, steady.

Coffee—Rio, No. 7, 14¾. Futures, steady; September, 12.95; March, 13.24.

Cheese—Steady, unchanged.

Butter—Firm; unchanged.

Potatoes—Easy. Southern, $2.00@$3.25; do. sweets, $2.50@$4.00.

Cabbages—Easy.

Freights—Unchanged.

Peanuts—Unchanged.

Cotton Seed Oil—The market was rather narrow today and featureless, except for scattered selling of late months against purchases of crude. The close was 2 to 10 points net lower. July, 6.40@6.50; August, 6.47@6.48; September, 6.54@6.55; October, 6.55@6.57; November, 6.25@6.27. Prime crude, nominal; do. Summer yellow, 6.50@6.60; do. Winter yellow, 7.15@7.75; do. Summer white, 6.90@7.50.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, July 24.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE — Steady, at 42½c. per gallon.

ROSIN—Steady, $5.95 per barrel of 280 pounds.

TAR—Firm, $2.00 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Firm, $3.23 per barrel for hard; $4.75 for dip; $4.75 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year: Spirits turpentine, 49c.; rosin, $5.85; tar, $2.20; crude turpentine, $3.00 for hard, $4.50 for dip, $4.60 for virgin.

Receipts.

Spirits Turpentine	55
Rosin	177
Tar	28
Crude Turpentine	12

Receipts same day last year, 58 casks spirits turpentine; 194 barrels rosin; 8 barrels tar; 39 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Nominal.

Same day last year—Nothing doing.

Receipts—None. Same day last year, none.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, July 20.)

CORN—Firm; $1.10 per bu.

PEAS—White, no sales. Mixed, $1.60.

POTATOES—Irish potatoes, 85c. to 95c. per bu.

BEEF—On foot, good demand, 3@4c. per lb.; dressed, 8c.

PORK—Small, 10@11c.

WOOL—Burry, 11@12c. per lb.; free of burr, 16c. per lb.

HIDES—Green, 8 to 8½c. per lb.; dry, 14 to 15c. per lb.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Hams, old, 17 to 18c. per lb.; sides and shoulders, 13c. per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm; 27@28c. per lb.

TALLOW—Firm; 4½ to 5c. per lb.

POULTRY—Chickens, grown, 40 to 45c. per head; chickens, spring, 15c. to 30c. per head.

SHEEP—Old, $1.00@$2.50; lambs, $1.00@$3.00.

EGGS—Very dull, 17 to 18c.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, July 16.

Market—Steady.

North Carolinas—Farmers' stock: Prime hand-picked, 70@75c.; machine-picked, 65@70c.

Spanish—Prime hand picked, $1.00; machine picked, 95c.

Virginias—Prime hand-picked, 88c.; machine picked, 80c.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, July 24.—Turpentine, easy. Rosin, quiet.

Charleston, July 24.—Turpentine, 43@43¼; firm.

Rosin—Firm. Quote: B, 6.10@6.20; D, 6.50@6.65; E, 6.75; F, 6.82½@6.95; G, 6.87½@6.95; H, 6.90@6.95; I, 6.90@6.95; K, 6.95@7.05; M, 7.10@7.20; N, 7.40@7.45; W G, 7.45@7.50; W W, 7.50@7.60.

Savannah, July 24.—Turpentine, firm, at 43. Sales, 8.58; receipts, 1,339; shipments, 297; stock, 31,867.

Rosin—Firm. Sales, 2,328; receipts, 4,627; shipments, 2,191; stock, 103,901. Quote: B, 6.15; D, 6.65; E, 6.75; F, 6.97½; G, 6.97½; H, 6.97½; I, 6.97½; K, 7.00; M, 7.05; N, 7.15; W G, 7.40; W W, 7.65.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, July 24.—Money on call, steady, at 2½@2¾ per cent.; ruling rate, 2¾; sixty days, 2¾ per cent.; six months, 4¼ to 4½. Prime mercantile paper, 4½ per cent.; Sterling exchange, 4.8475 for sixty-day bills, 4.8775 for demand. Commercial bills, 4.84.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, July 24.—The cotton goods markets are firm, with a moderate volume of business passing. Jobbers report a busier day, the dress goods purchases being especially active. Worsted yarn spinners report a more general demand. Cotton yarns are firmer.

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STOCK MARKET IS STILL DULL

No Decided Tendency to Get Out of the Rut—Business Smallest of Any Full Session in Some Time.

New York, July 24.—The stock market today manifested no decided tendency to get out of the rut into which it fell earlier in the week. Business was the smallest of any full session in some time, and price changes were without significance, although in a downward direction.

There was a recurrence of the recent selling pressure against the leaders, but it lacked sufficient force in most cases to carry the movement beyond mere fractions. Another severe decline in National Biscuit early in the session was unattended by any special news other than the assumption that the company is meeting with unusual competition.

Texas company also suffered something of a reverse on unofficial denial of any contemplated change in the dividend, and further liquidation in United States Realty was indicated by its reactionary trend.

Bonds were again steady and dull, with total sales, par value, amounting to $2,103,000. United States governments were unchanged on call. Total sales, 192,422 shares.

CLOSING STOCK LIST.

Allis-Chalmers, pfd	21½
Amalgamated Copper	82¾
American Agricultural	61
American Beet Sugar	31½
American Can	35⅜
American Car and Foundry	57⅝
American Cotton Oil	52½
American Hide and Leather, pfd	25
American Ice Securities	26⅜
American Linseed	13⅛
American Locomotive	42½
American Smelting and Refining	82⅜
American Smelting and Refining, pfd	107½
American Steel Foundries	34¾
American Sugar Refining	126¾
American Tel and Tel	145⅝
American Tobacco, pfd	107
American Woolen	29
Anaconda Mining Co	41⅛
Atchison	108¾
Atchison, pfd	102½
Atlantic Coast Line	140
Baltimore and Ohio	109⅝
Bethlehem Steel	35¾
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	92
Canadian Pacific	264½
Central Leather	26⅞
Central Leather, pfd	95
Central of New Jersey	300
Chesapeake and Ohio	80¾
Chicago and Alton	21
Chicago Great Western	16⅞
Chicago Great Western, pfd	33
Chicago and North Western	138
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	100¾
C., C., C. and St. Louis	99
Colorado Fuel and Iron	24¾
Colorado and Southern	42
Consolidated Gas	144⅝
Corn Products	14⅜
Delaware and Hudson	167
Denver and Rio Grande	19
Denver and Rio Grande, pfd	34¾
Distillers' Securities	31
Erie	35½
Erie, 1st pfd	53⅞
Erie, 2nd pfd	43
General Electric	185
Great Northern, pfd	137
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	41⅞
Illinois Central	131
Interborough-Met	20
Interborough-Met., pfd	58¼
Inter-Harvester	120½
Inter-Marine, pfd	16
International Paper	15¼
International Pump	26
Iowa Central	13
Kansas City Southern	24¾
Kansas City Southern, pfd	56
Laclede Gas	106
Louisville and Nashville	156⅜
Minneapolis and St. Louis	18¾
Minn., St. P. and Sault Ste Marie	145⅝
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	27
Missouri, Kansas and Texas, pfd	60
Missouri Pacific	35½
National Biscuit	135⅝
National Lead	58
Nat. Rys. of Mexico, 2nd pfd	30⅜
New York Central	115
New York, Ontario and Western	32⅝
Norfolk and Western	116½
North American	82
Northern Pacific	120⅜
Pacific Mail	31⅜
Pennsylvania	123½
People's Gas	115½
Pittsburg, C. C. and St. Louis	106
Pittsburg Coal	20¼
Pressed Steel Car	34⅜
Pullman Palace Car	162
Railway Steel Spring	34½
Reading	162⅝
Republic Steel	25½
Republic Steel, pfd	83⅜
Rock Island Co	21
Rock Island Co., pfd	47⅜
St. Louis and San Fran., 2nd pfd	33½
St. Louis Southwestern	31
St. Louis Southwestern, pfd	72½
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	55
Southern Pacific	109¾
Southern Railway	28⅜
Southern Railway, pfd	77
Tennessee Copper	42½
Texas and Pacific	21½
Toledo, St. Louis and Western	13
Toledo, St. Louis and Western, pfd	31
Union Pacific	167¾
Union Pacific, pfd	90
United States Realty	82
United States Rubber	52¼
United States Steel	69⅝
United States Steel, pfd	112
Utah Copper	61⅝
Virginia-Carolina Chemical	48⅜
Wabash	4
Wabash, pfd	13⅜
Western Maryland	58
Westinghouse Electric	80¾
Western Union	82⅜
Wheeling and Lake Erie	6½
American Tobacco	302
Seaboard Air Line	22¾
Seaboard Air Line, pfd	52⅜

BATTLESHIP GUNNERY

Colorado Leads In Her Class and Monaghan Leads Torpedo Fleet

Washington, July 24.—The battleship Colorado is the peer of the American navy in gunnery for ships of the battleship class. That vessel heads the list with a score of 71.618 for the fiscal year ending June 30th last. Her closest rival is the battleship Delaware, with a score of 51.434, with the New Hampshire third, score 39.961.

In recognition of the showing made by the Colorado, the commendations of the Secretary of the Navy have been communicated by letter to Captain W. A. Gill, her commander.

In vessels of the torpedo class the Monaghan leads with 66.670 to her credit; Lawrence second, 64.925, and Trippe third, 57.022. A letter of commendation was also sent to Lieutenant Commander F. T. Evans, commanding the Monaghan.

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THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

July 25, 1912.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 78 degrees; at 8 P. M., 81 degrees; maximum, 87 degrees; minimum, 72 degrees; mean, 80 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall for the month, to date, 2.98.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river, at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., yesterday, 5.8 feet.

Weather Forecas.

For North Carolina — Generally fair Thursday and Friday.

Port Calendar—July 25.

Sun rises	5:18 A. M.
Sun sets	7:18 P. M.
Day's length	14 hrs.

Tides.

	High water. A.M.	High water. P.M.	Low water. A.M.	Low water. P.M.
Wilmington	6:33	7:00	1:46	1:28
Southport	5:00	5:33	11:02	.....
Masonboro Inlet	4:40	5:04	10:33	.....

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

July 24, 1912.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature. Highest today.	Temperature. Lowest last night.	24-hour precipitation, 8 P. M.
Abilene	clear	98	74	.0
Asheville	pt cldy	86	66	.0
Atlanta	cloudy	88	74	.01
Augusta	pt cldy	96	76	.0
Birmingham	cloudy	90	76	.0
Boston	clear	78	56	.0
Charleston	raining	88	76	.0
Charlotte	cloudy	90	72	.0
Chicago	clear	92	78	.0
Galveston	clear	88	80	.0
Jacksonville	cloudy	96	78	.0
Memphis	clear	92	78	.0
Mobile	clear	94	76	.0
Montgomery	clear	92	76	.0
New Orleans	clear	92	76	.0
New York	clear	72	60	.0
Oklahoma	clear	100	74	.0
Pittsburg	cloudy	78	64	2.00
Raleigh	cloudy	90	70	.01
Savannah	cloudy	92	76	1.48
Shreveport	clear	94	74	.0
St. Louis	clear	96	80	.0
Washington	raining	70	66	.58

GENERAL DELIVERY ABUSES.

Privilege Being Prostituted to Use of Flirtations, Etc.

Washington, July 24.—Approving individual action taken by postmasters of many large cities, Postmaster General Hitchcock has issued a general order which has the avowed purpose of checking the use of general delivery windows for carrying on flirtations and clandestine correspondence. Any persons who wish mail at general delivery windows instead of home addresses may hereafter be required to give their reasons in writing.

Many complaints have been received by the Postoffice Department that service at general delivery windows was being improperly used by minors, particularly young girls, and by residents ordinarily served by mail carriers.

Under the postal regulations, postmasters may require all persons to furnish in writing their names and addresses and statements of their reasons for preferring to receive their mail at the general delivery. In addition, minors may be required to furnish the names of their parents, in order that they may be notified and have an opportunity to control the delivery of mail to their children.

Postmasters at offices not having city carrier service may notify the parents of minors in all instances where it appears to them that the minors are using the general delivery to obtain mail under objectionable conditions.

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Having qualified as Executrix of the last will and testament of Edwin Borden, deceased, I hereby notify all persons having claims against said testator to present the same to me, duly verified, on or before July 11th, 1913, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This July 10th, 1912.

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Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Edwin Borden.
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FORECLOSURE SALE.

By virtue of the provisions of a certain mortgage deed made by J. C. Jones and wife and J. R. Sherrill to A. S. Kirby, and duly registered on the records of New Hanover County, in Book 65, page 483, the undersigned will sell, to the highest bidder, at public auction, for cash, at the wood yard at the foot of Hanover street, in the City of Wilmington, on Saturday, the 10th day of August, 1912, at twelve o'clock M., the following personal property, to-wit: 3 dump carts, 2 drays, 4 mules, 2 horses, 1 gasoline engine (5-horse-power), 1 saw and 1 splitter and machinery connected therewith.

And the undersigned will also sell, at the Court House door of New Hanover County, on Wednesday, the 21st day of August, 1912, at twelve o'clock, M., that certain lot at Carolina Place, having a two-story dwelling thereon, beginning at the northeast intersection of Perry avenue and Eighteenth street; runs eastwardly along the line of Perry avenue 66 feet; thence northwardly 113 feet to an alley; thence westwardly along the line of said alley 66 feet to the eastern side of Eighteenth street 113 feet to the beginning, being part of Lots 11 and 12, block 31, according to he map of said Carolina Place.

Said sale to be made subject to prior mortgages to the Atlantic Trust & Banking Company and C. R. Spooner.

This 10th of July, 1912.

A. S. KIRBY, Mortgagee.

By John D. Bellamy & Son, Attorneys. jy21-30d

FORECLOSURE.

By virtue of a Power of Sale, contained in a certain mortgage deed executed by William F. Brittain and wife, Katie E. Brittain, to the Tidewater Trust Company, and registered in Book 64, page 395, et seq. of the records of New Hanover County, the undersigned attorneys for said mortgagee will on Monday, the 19th of August, 1912, at 12 o'clock M., at the Court House door, in the city of Wilmington, sell by public auction for cash, the mortgaged premises which are situated in the State of North Carolina, County of New Hanover and City of Wilmington, and a part of Block 63, according to the official plan of said city, and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning in the intersection of the western line of Sixth street with the northern line of Wooster street with a front on Sixth street of sixty-six (66) feet, and extending westwardly along the said line of Wooster street ninety-six (96) feet.

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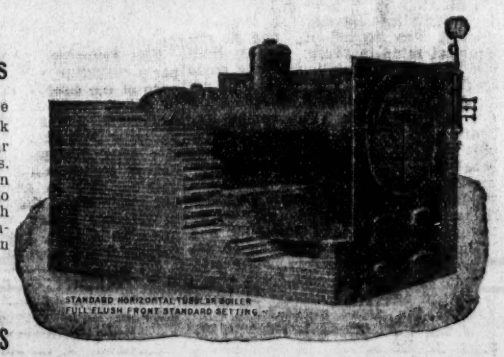

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(Continued from Page One.)

oldest aged eight, made a dash into the mine, going some distance down the slope before being overtaken. The woman tore her clothes from her body in her anguish when she was refused entrance at the slope.

Mine Inspector I. G. Roby went to the scene of the disaster a short time after it had been reported to him. He stated that as far as he could ascertain the catastrophe was unavoidable. Supt. W. J. Buttermore declared that everything possible had been done to prevent such a disaster and that it could not have been avoided.

It is reported that several other men have perished in the mine, but officials of the company declare that the complete list is only 13.

Damage at Dunbar.

Dunbar, Pa., July 24.—A devastating flood, rushing down the mountainside, spread ruin throughout Dunbar today. A cloudburst transformed the small streams into raging torrents. A number of buildings were completely wrecked and hundreds of others damaged. The town is almost entirely under water tonight and conditions are chaotic.

Up to a late hour tonight no fatalities had been reported.

City Hall police headquarters, Samuel Joseph's restaurant, O. E. Kelly's jewelry store, W. J. Bower's grocery store, two warehouses and a number of dwellings were swept away completely. Not a house in the lowlands escaped injury. Over 200 are submerged.

The main thoroughfare is blocked with debris. At points the wreckage is piled 20 feet high. The track foundations of the Pennsylvania railroad were swept away and the tracks dropped into the creek. The station platform was carried away and the building partly wrecked. Mines and property of the Freeport Coal Company and the United Coal Company have sustained inestimable damage. All bridges in the vicinity, except one in the heart of the town, were torn from their moorings and broken up by the surging waters.

A score of families were caught in their homes in the lower section of the town. They were in imminent danger of drowning. A rescue party of six men, who volunteered, went to their assistance, and succeeded, up to 10 o'clock, in taking the members of seven families to safety.

To rescue the marooned people it was necessary for the rescuers to swim to the almost submerged homes. One at a time the victims were brought back to high ground.

This place is located 2 1-2 miles from Connellsville, Pa. From Dunbar to Uniontown railroad tracks have been washed out in long stretches and train service is abandoned. Other roadways are blockaded by landslides.

Tons of earth slipping down from the hillsides have effectually tied up all kinds of traffic. Many narrow escapes from death were encountered by residents of Dunbar.

People Flee for Lives.

Jeannette, Pa., July 24.—A cloudburst flooded miles of territory between here and Greensburg today. The lowlands were quickly inundated and hundreds of persons were compelled to flee for their lives. Residences and business places were almost completely submerged in some districts, while the Manor Valley and Turtle Creek railroads, together with trolley service, were put out of commission.

Over 2,000 persons, including many women and children, are marooned on the hills of Oakford Park, where the annual outing of the employes of the Union Supply Company from Westmoreland and Fayette counties was held today. Two creeks in the vicinity of the Park overflowed their banks and before the pleasure seekers in the Park could help themselves, had surrounded the hill.

The water continued to come up early tonight, and no method of removing the people from the Park had been provided.

Seventy-five families are homeless in Jeanette. The monetary loss will be heavy.

Pittsburg District.

Pittsburg, July 24.—For the second time since last Sunday the Pittsburg district was flooded by one of the heaviest rains in years. In less than six hours the precipitation was close to three inches. In the boroughs adjoining the city all small streams are out of their banks. The raging torrents have crippled transportation facilities while inestimable damage has resulted in a dozen small towns. Early tonight Turtle Creek, near here, was rising 14 inches an hour. Families living on the lowlands of Turtle Creek, Braddock, East Pittsburg and Wilmerding, were endeavoring to get household goods to safety, while merchants have moved perishable goods to second and third floors. At Haysborough the rising water from Four Mile Run drove many families to the upper portion of their home. Later a call for help was sent to this city and policemen were sent to the rescue.

Communication with a number of Western Pennsylvania towns has been interrupted.

The storm was especially severe throughout the territory along the Monongahela river, southeast of here. The river and its many tributaries are rising rapidly, causing serious loss in the Monongahela valley.

At McKeesport, a sister city, rain fell continuously for 12 hours. Several small bridges were swept down only to find lodgment against a stronger one. The water backed up inundating Fifth avenue and flooding many business houses. Upwards of 200 houses are partly submerged. All the streets are filled with debris and impassable to traffic.

Dramatic Warnings.

Brownsville, Pa., July 24.—Horsemen dashing frantically down the Red Stone valley today, often with water up the saddle girths, made a journey of nine miles to save the lives of hundreds of persons at Smock, a mining village. Aside from the great quantity of water due to the cloudburst, it was feared a huge reservoir was about to let go.

"To the hills! To the hills! The reservoir is breaking!"

The cry caused terror among the miners and within a few moments 1,000 families were rushing through the muddy waters to the hillsides. Soon the water rushed into the mining village causing heavy damage.

Tonight the miners and their families are camped in a pouring rain on the hillisides, under makeshift shelters of blankets, quilts, boards and straw.

An unconfirmed rumor tonight is to the effect that from six to ten miners were drowned before they could reach safety. When the alarm was spread over 500 men were at work in the mine. According to mine officials, all of them were saved.

Although the reservoir held, the miners have refused to leave their hillside camp. Communication throughout the Red Stone valley is interrupted seriously and few details of the devastation and reported loss of life can be secured.

Storm In Wisconsin

Milwaukee, Wis., July 24.—A storm approaching a cloudburst swept through Northern Wisconsin during the last 24 hours, causing floods which swept away dams and bridges, washed out railway tracks in various places, paralyzed business in several cities and caused damage to total several thousand dollars.

So far as known there has been no loss of life. The city of Wausau suffered the worst damage. The collapse of the Brokaw dam, six miles north of there let loose a tremendous volume of water which rushed down the Wisconsin river and carried away many bridges and nearshore buildings.

The flood caused the river at Wausau to overflow its banks and tonight the city is without electric lights and street cars are tied up.

In West Virginia

Wheeling, W. Va., July 24.—The upper Ohio Valley was swept by a most destructive wind, rain and electrical tstorm this afternoon. One and perhaps three lives were lost.

At Wellsburg the factory of the Wellsburg Glass Company was blown down and much damage inflicted in Wellsburg. Traffic on the Ohio river and main line divisions of the Baltimore and Ohio was tied up by land slides and the going out of small bridges. The government dams in course of construction at Woodland, W. Va., and New Martinsville, W. Va., were badly damaged and the coming high water may destroy the works.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Bijou—Hurrah.
Lumina—Special Attractions.
Globe Baking Co.—Announcement.
Home Savings Bank—Put the Bank.
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Lost—Silver Bag.
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Wanted—Position.
Wanted—Two Boys.
Wanted—Young Man.
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H. de W. Rapalje—Bids Wanted.
H. de W. Rapalje—Artesian Well.
Girls' Friendly Society—Excursion.

TARIFF LEGISLATION

Both Republicans and Democrats Divided Over the Programme

Washington, July 24.—With only a partial plan of action agreed upon among the Republican leader of the Senate, a three-day tariff fight will begin in that body tomorrow when the Democratic wool tariff bill is taken up for amendment and passage. Before the end of Saturday's session the Senate will have acted upon the wool tariff, the sugar tariff, and the Democratic excise bill, which would extend the present corporation tax to business done by individuals and co-partnerships.

Both the Republicans and Democratic forces were divided tonight over the embarrassing questions that the tariff programme presents. The break in the Republican ranks came as the result of introduction today by Senator Cummins of a substitute woolen tariff bill, based on the figures given by the tariff board in its report on the woolen industry.

The action of Senator Cummins was not in accord with the understanding regular Republicans had of the plan to be followed tomorrow. Leading Republican members of the Finance Committee held an informal conference tonight to determine whether a third bill, representing their views, should be introduced tomorrow. No agreement was reached, however, as to the possible introduction of a bill that had been prepared by Senator Smoot.

The Democratic leaders called a party caucus to meet Friday. The purpose of the caucus, it is understood is to adjust conflicting views on the sugar tariff, and attempt to meet the views of Democrats who object to the free sugar bill passed by the House. Several Democrats have expressed the opinion that to endorse the House bill would affect the political situation in Western States, where beet sugar interests are an important factor in industrial development.

PALMETTO FARMERS.

Sessions Have Begun at Columbia—Many Questions Discussed.

Columbia, S. C., July 24.—The first session of the annual convention of the State Farmers' Union was held in the State house this afternoon, at which time routine matters were disposed of, such as the enrollment of delegates, appointment of committees and reading of reports. This meeting was not open to the public, for it could have possessed no interest to outsiders.

The executive committee rendered a report taking up in detail the matters which properly came under its supervision. Members of this committee are H. T. Morrison, Charleston; Douglas McIntyre, Marion; J. W. Reid, secretary, Columbia; J. B. O'Neill Holloway, Newberry, and E. W. Dubbs, president, Sumter. The meeting was held in the hall of the House of Representatives, where all of the sessions will convene.

Tonight at 8:30 a public meeting will be held, the programme for this occasion consisting of an address by H. W. Beall, chairman of the committee on education, the subject of this address being "Education for Efficiency." It is earnestly hoped by those in charge of the convention that this meeting will be well attended. The State aid county superintendents of education and the professors of economics of all the State colleges are urged to be present. After the address some of these officials and faculty members will be called on to speak on the subject of industrial education, economic questions and the like.

HAY-PAUNCEFOTE TREATY

Hannis Taylor Says It Is Voidable Now — Quotations

Washington, July 24.—Hannis Taylor, former minister to Spain, and a writer on international law, published an open letter here today contending that the Hay-Pauncefote treaty is voidable because of the situation arising out of Panama's ceding the canal zone to the United States.

"There is no room for hair-splitting on that point," writes Mr. Taylor. "Within the canal zone the United States is sovereign for all the purposes of international law. Under that law it is well settled that a treaty becomes voidable, not void, whenever a change has taken place in the fundamental conditions existing at the time it was made."

The writer quotes Hall, the English authority on international law, in support of that contention.

Mr. Taylor refers to Russia's repudiation in 1870 of certain portions of the treaty of Paris relating to the Black sea and contends it set a precedent upon which the United States may act.

In conclusion, the writer contends, in part:

"We must take the firm stand under the well-defined principle of international law, as punctuated by the Russian precedent of 1870, that after there has been an essential change in the conditions existing at the time the treaty was made it becomes voidable. In that way we can justly lift the question out of the domain of international arbitration, where we could never obtain a fair hearing, into the domain of diplomatic negotiations with Great Britain where we will be sure to receive fair and friendly consideration."

STATE PRESS ASSOCIATION

North Carolina Editors Hear New York World Speaker

Morehead City, N. C., July 24.—The feature of the first session of the 30th annual meeting of the North Carolina Press Association was the address of Mr. Don Seitz, business manager of The New York World.

Mr. Seitz took as his subject "Intensive Cultivation of a Newspaper Page." Speaking from a broad experience, Mr. Seitz urged every newspaper to remember that the chief factor in newspaper success is the news gathering and news printing. He suggested economy of management without cutting down the news. More degnified, smaller headline, narrow margins and less leading will save considerable space for more news items.

The speaker also suggested that every successful newspaper has ever been independent in politics.

W. H. Savory discussed the cost of an inch of advertising in a very interesting address.

President J. J. Farris, of High Point, called the association to order and Rev. Harris Mallinckrodt, of Charlotte, led in prayer and, after the addresses of welcome the association heard the address of Mr. Seitz.

The following new members were received into the association: W. L. Stamey, High Point Review; J. M. L. Lyerly, Albemarle Chronicle; A. H. Turner, Western Publisher; W. E. Dockery, Rockingham Post; A. E. Eccott, Charlotte Mill News; James L. Hogford, Progressive Farmer; J. E. Clark, Raleigh Times; T. W. Chambliss, Charlotte Chronicle; Donald C. McRae, Thomasville Davidsonian; H. K. Land, Newbern Journal.

IOWA HERO WORSHIPPERS.

They Name and Proclaim Roosevelt in State Convention.

Des Moines, Ia., July 24.—Roosevelt enthusiasm marked the closing scenes in the first Iowa State Progressive party convention here, which today chose a full set of delegates to the National convention at Chicago, organizing a working State Central committee and provided for Congressional, district and county organization.

The platform adopted condemns the Republican National convention and Republican committee at Chicago, severely criticises President Taft as a reactionary and denounces what is alleged to be his subserviency to the special interests, eulogizes Theodore Roosevelt, as the "foremost man of the world" and declares for his nomination and election.

EARTHQUAKE IN PERU.

City of Piura is Reported to Have Been Devastated.

Lima, Peru, July 24.—A destructive earthquake occurred this morning at Piura, capital of the department of Piura, the most northerly of Pacific departments. The shock lasted 40 seconds and the city is said to be almost in ruins. While advices from that district are meagre it is reported that a number of children were killed and persons injured. Among the latter was Mr. Blaker, agent of the South American Insurance Company. The dry bed of a river was torn open and jets of water were thrown out.

Piura, or San Miguel de Piura, lies 120 miles north northwest of Lambayeque. It has a population of 12,000.

Bristol, Tenn., July 24.—The first of the expected disorders as a result of the sweeping election investigation in Lee county, Virginia, occurred today when Dr. James W. Walden, prominent Democratic politician of Blackwater precinct, was shot and killed by Perry Wallin, Republican. Wallin surrendered and gave bond for appearance in court. More trouble is feared inasmuch as over 200 are under indictment for election law violation and bribery.

Washington, July 24.—Coton's condition in lower Egypt is estimated to be 116 per cent. of average. In upper Egypt the condition is estimated at 118. These figures were received at the Department of Agriculture today from the International Institute of Agriculture at Rome.

What Makes a Woman?

One hundred and twenty pounds, more or less, of bone and muscle don't make a woman. It's a good foundation. Put into it health and strength and she may rule a kingdom. But that's just what Electric Bitters gives her. Thousands bless them for overcoming fainting and dizzy spells and for dispelling weakness, nervousness, backache and tired, listless, worn out feeling. "Electric Bitters have done me a world of good," writes Eliza Pool, Depew, Okla., "and I thank you, with all my heart, for making such a good medicine." Only 50c. Guaranteed by R. R. Bellamy.

ALLEN TRIAL NEARING END.

Floyd Allen Star Witness at Wytheville Hearing Yesterday.

Wytheville, Va., July 24.—When court adjourned today only one more witness remained to be examined before the defense in the trial of Claude Allen rests its case.

The cross examination of Floyd Allen was completed this morning and after two hours of rigid questioning, the aged outlaw left the witness stand with the statements he made at the previous trials unshaken.

Jasper Allen, an uncle of the defendant, testified today, but told little of any importance.

Friel Allen, himself charged with complicity in the Hillsville murders, also took the stand, admitting that he fired two shots at Commonwealth's Attorney Foster.

The last witness was the prisoner, who stuck to the statements made by him at the former trials to the effect that he did not shoot until after the officers opened fire on his father.

Throughout a rapid fire cross examination he remained perfectly cool, answering questions promptly and briefly.

REWARD FOR NURSE

Young Virginia Woman Missing a Week From Mt. Vernon

New York, July 24.—A reward of $500 for any information that will lead to the discovery of the whereabouts of Miss Dorcas I. Snodgrass, the missing Mount Vernon nurse, who vanished over a week ago, was offered today by Edward T. Snodgrass, of Berryville, Va., her brother. Mr. Snodgrass arrived today to aid in the search for the girl. A search of the hospitals and morgues for the missing nurse has proved without result and the girl's relatives take hope that she may be alive. A maid employed in a Mount Vernon family says that she saw Miss Snodgrass on Twenty-third street last Monday. The maid did not speak to the girl. Detectives are looking for the missing nurse in this city.

Special Tonight at Lumina.

Mrs. Frank Pearson will sing two songs tonight at Lumina during the intermissions between dances. Her songs will be "Good Night, Dear," and "Arab Love Song." **

BUSINESS LOCALS

Advertisements inserted under this head, One Cent per word for each insertion, but no advertisement taken for less than 25c. Additional words, more than 25, One Cent per word. Unless the advertiser has a regular account, all advertisements under this head are STRICTLY CASH IN ADVANCE, the amounts being too small to warrant a charge. The Star will send without charge, a Western Union Messenger fo any address in the city for advertisements in this department upon request by 'Phone to No. 51. A Messenger will also call for telegrams for the Western Union Telegraph Company, or for notes or small packages to be delivered anywhere in the city. No charge for collecting the telegrams, but a small charge for strictly Messenger Service calls will be made, or telephone subscribers may at any time telephone their telegrams; bills rendered to suit the sender, daily, weekly or monthly. For this service, call "Western Union." But for advertisements, always call the Star office, No. 51. Copy for Business Locals cannot be taken over the telephone—but upon request Messenger will be dispatched to any part of the city for them.

GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY, Church of the Good Shepherd, will have a moonlight excursion Friday, July 26th. Good music on boat. Refreshments served. Steamer Wilmington will leave pier at 8 P. M., returning about 10:30. Tickets, 25 cents. jy25-2t

WANTED—Male stenographer. Address Box 82, City. jy25-3t*

WANTED—Position as nurse by white lady. Apply to "F. S.," 310 North Ninth street. jy25-1t*

WANTED—Position by first class machinist and engineer, and all 'round mill man. Can furnish best of references. Address "X. B.," care Star. jy25-1t*

CHIROPODIST—At Ellis' Barber Shop, 109 Princess street. Positively removes corns without pain. All foot troubles treated. Ladies wishing my services can leave word at shop. I go out to homes to wait on them. W. T. Breeden. jy25-1t

LOST—Silver mesh bag at Lumina Tuesday night, containing sum of money; owner's name engraved inside of bag. Reward if returned to 125 Market street. jy26-1t

HEAT POWDER that will give your baby immediate relief. Recommended by physicians and nurses. 25 cents. 'Phone 983, or mail. Shutt Bros., Mfg. Druggists. jy25-4t*

WANTED—One or two good stout boys wanted at Palace Market. jy25-1t

ARTESIAN WELL — Bids wanted for drilling deep well at Garden City (Test Farm). H. de W. Rapalje, Engineer, Southern Bldg. jy25-3t

CONCRETE SIDEWALKS—Bids wanted for laying about 75 square yards of sidewalk on Market street. H. de W. Rapalje, Engineer, Southern Bldg. jy25-3t

SIDEWALKS—Bids wanted for laying about 1,500 square yards of concrete sidewalks at Garden City. H. de W. Rapalje, Engineer, Southern Bldg. jy25-3t

LOST—Small black dog with brown feet. Left A. C. L. train between Wilmington and Rose Hill early Monday morning. Reward for return to Dr. W. H. Cobb, Goldsboro, N. C. jy24-3t

FANCY GRAPES today. We have on sale today nice Concord and Delaware grapes. Also fresh sugar figs picked every morning. Full line of fresh fruits and vegetables. Fancy fresh meats on hand all the time. Try us once. Palace Market. 'Phone 72. jy24-1t

WANTED—To rent, a furnished cottage on the Beach for months of August and September. References furnished. State price. "W," care Star. jy24-2t

EXCURSION, auspices Junior League, Fifth Street church, on Steamer Wilmington to Southport, Thursday, June 25th. Two boats, 9 A. M. and 2:30 P. M. Fare, Round trip, 50 cents. jy24-2t

FOR SALE—Carolina Heights cottage on Southwest corner Nineteenth and Princess; large lot, 70x115, with 15 foot alley in rear. This splendidly equipped home contains five large, airy rooms with entirely modern improvements throughout. It will pay to see me if you want a bargain. L. W. Moore, Real Estate, 123 Princess street. jy21,23,25-3t

WANTED—To buy several tracts of marketable timber, about 100 acres. John Coales, 605 West 181st St., New York City. jy24-4t*

MULES WANTED—One pair 7-year-old, mated, goat built, heavy, smart mules. Describe, and price, to J. P. Council, Wananish, N. C. jy24-6t

FOR SALE—Five passenger Automobile, in first class condition. Can be seen at Wilmington Auto Repair Co. A bargain at the price. jy9-tf

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FOR SALE—One 10-year-old bay mare and Columbus buggy. For information, call 'phone 1058. jy21-6t

WANTED—Two or three furnished rooms for man and wife, with private family; desirable location, between Third and Seventh and Red Cross and Market preferred. Apply "E. C.," care Star. jy23-tf

FOR SALE—One 100-H.-P. Erie City boiler; one 150-H.-P. Erie City engine; one Northington pump; one dry kiln, complete; three miles 20-lb. steel rail; six 20,000 capacity 36-in. guage log cars. Bargain prices. A. J. Flegal, Burgaw, N. C. jy23-3t*

FOR SALE—Rough and dressed pine and cypress boards, floorings, ceiling, weatherboarding and laths. Reasonable prices; quick delivery. 'Phone 538, Camp Manufacturing Co. my30-tu,th,sa-30t*

WAKE UP! Spread out! Advertise! Multigraph imitation typewritten circulars; cheap as printing; better results. All classes typewriting and notary work. Harriss' Typewriting and Advertising Co., 114 Princess street; 'phone 708. del-tf,su,th-tf

WANTED—By the Manhattan Life Insurance Company of New York, Agent for Wilmington and vicinity. For particulars, address J. M. Crane, General Agent, Newbern, N. C. jy23-6t*

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WANTED—To commence work not later than August 15th, a competent male stenographer. One with a knowledge of double entry book-keeping preferred. Address with references, Henry Bowden, Manager, North Carolina Cotton Oil Co., Wilmington, N. C. jy23-3t

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FOR SALE—One of the most desirable corners on North Third street. Apply quick to W. M. Cumming, Real Estate Agent. jy11-tf-ex su

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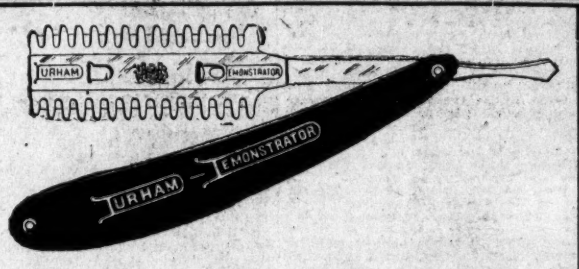

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